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LOST—A child's pair of shoes, on Government street, between Fort and James Bay bridge. Finder would confer a favor by leaving same at Colonist office.

NOTICE—The partnership heretofore existing between James O'Neill and James Cowie, under the firm name of O'Neill & Cowie, Real Estate agents at 101 Yates street, this city, is dissolved from this date, Oct. 1st, 1892. The business will hereafter be carried on by the undersigned at the above address.
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A SOCIAL
Will be given in the
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Under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid. Miss Sayyea has kindly consented to give a short address on Physical Culture.
Admission, including refreshments, 25 cents.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.
DR. E. C. FOOT.
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HOURS—9 to 11 a.m., 2 to 4 p.m., 7 to 9 p.m. oct-2.

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Sale to commence at 2 p. m. sharp.
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THE EXHIBITION SPORTS.

Exciting Horse and Foot Races at the Jockey Club Grounds Yesterday.

Mollie Cooper and Bishop Hero Win Fresh Laurels—Topsey Takes the Running.

Aquatic Contest at James Bay—Maclean to Row Bush on Monday.

Rain prevented a large turn out at the races yesterday. Those present, however, enjoyed an excellent afternoon's sport.

The first event open to trotters and pacers three months in the province, for a purse of $150, brought out Brown's Mollie Cooper, Warner's Velox, Meunier's Dart, Vancouver Dan and Traveller Wilkes. Chambers, who was fined $30 at the previous meet, settled his obligation and mounted the sulky behind Vancouver Dan. The Victoria band struck up an inspiring air, and as the last strain died away the pool box orator announced that he had $10 for Mollie Cooper and invited a bid for second choice. Traveller Wilkes was knocked down for $5, the field selling for $7.

The names of the trotters were shaken up in a hat. Mollie Cooper won the pole. The bell rang. The eager crowd pressed forward to a point of vantage. The horses came up to the wire like a troop of cavalry moving to the charge. The gong signalled a start. An excited spectator shouted "They'r off." The reporter's pencil begins to fly over the paper as the sulkies career around the curve, and this is the literal translation of the scrubbled notes. "Mollie Cooper's wearing hobbles; they seem to bother her." "She's off her feet." "The favorite's not in it." "The little black fellow is ahead." "That's Dart." "Every horse but Dart is off his feet." "Now they're settling down for the quarter." "Velox is gaining on Dart." Look at him come, ah! his tail's up; he's off his feet." "See Mollie Cooper forging ahead, she's passed Velox and is in close company with Dart at the half." "Velox has struck her gait again." At the three quarters the order is, Dart, Mollie Cooper, Velox; a few feet of day-light between each. At the home stretch the excitement becomes intense, the three trotters sweeping around the curve in a bunch. Everybody strains forward. The euphonious name of Mollie Cooper rends the air. Sure enough the little mare is ahead, her traces working like the bands on a circular saw. She paddles under the wire a neck ahead of Velox, who captured second place from Dart by a length. Time 2:37½. Vancouver Dan and Traveller Wilkes distanced.

In the second heat Meunier's little black darted away in the lead, but was passed at the quarter by the mare with the braces, when the black became discouraged and went to pieces, Mr. Gannon's encouraging "Gee boy!" being of no avail, and so they came around to the home stretch and under the wire, driver Riley getting in that funny little nervous twist of the right rein, understood only by himself and Mollie. It probably means, "You've got to go your best to get there," and she got there. It was one of the little Dart's off-days, and no driver could make him go any faster than he did.

The third heat was very tame, Mr. Brown's mare leading twice around the circle ahead of the field in 2:41.

The pedestrian events were not of a very exciting nature, but served to kill time between heats. In the 100 yard dash Blaine, Dalby and Tudhope entered, Blaine winning easily.

In the 220 yards Tudhope won, and in the half mile Blaine showed he could make that distance in pretty good form, being far superior to the other competitors. The judges refrained from posting the time made, however.

Horses for the fast free for all race, were rung out at 4 o'clock. S. B., Mink and Bishop Hero made their appearance, Conda being scratched. The pool seller booked Mink favorite, but this state of affairs did not last long, the market price settling down to Bishop Hero 10 Mink 5, S. B. 3.

The horse with the ecclesiastical name got the pole. The trio went away at the first score, Hero hobbling badly and dropping hopelessly to the rear, Mink and S. B. see-sawing for first place. In spite of the big gap opened out between the first and the last horse, Bishop Hero came thundering along at terrific pace, on the second circumlocution, and at the home-stretch it was one of the prettiest sights ever witnessed on the race track; the three trotters swept towards the wire, trotting so evenly together that for a moment one thought of the immortal chariot race of Ben Hur. The sulkies were forgotten and you saw but the horses, three abreast, flecked with foam, their nostrils dilated, their muscular bodies straining for the last mighty effort, which was in another moment to decide the initial heat, and their place in the succeeding struggle. A dozen feet before the finish the spectacular effect vanishes, the line is broken, Bishop Hero drops behind and S. B. pushes his head out in front of Mink, winning by a nose. Time—2:37½.

Did the driver of Bishop Hero want to win? The judges did not seem satisfied. Two of the drivers were called to the stand and there was a good deal of gesticulation.

In the second heat Mink led all the way around, without a skip, in 2:31½.

The poolseller still sold Bishop Hero at $10 as first choice. Funny. It mystified the uninitiated. The judges button-holed each other for several minutes previous to the third heat, and when the horses appeared, the drivers of Bishop Hero and S. B. were changed. Riley sitting behind Hero, and Field behind S. B. The change evidently showed that those who were persistently backing the big roan knew what they were about, for the favorite won easily, trotting strong, and passing under the wire two lengths ahead of Mink, S. B. third.

Each horse had now one heat to his credit, and Bishop Hero's backers doubled their money in the pool-box.

In the fourth heat they passed under the wire dead even. Then the Hero of the hour shot ahead, S. B. and Mink keeping close together until the half was passed, when they parted company, the little Mink being too much for the old horse in a long race. At the finish the favorite was far in the lead, doubling the circle in 2:33. The fourth heat was trotted in the moonlight, the shades of night shrouding the features of the spectators from view and causing the horses on the back stretch to resemble fleeting clouds against a dark sky, but everybody stayed to see the last heat of the great race. Of course Bishop Hero won it. Mink and the roan a good second and third. Time, 2:32.

The running race, which was sandwiched in between the second and final heats of the fast trot, was amusing, but not particularly exciting. The following flyers ambled into the ring: Domino, Johnnie B. and Topsey. Domino was favorite, $5, $3 for the field. "Domino is favorite," said the pool man. "When it's even money he will break his neck or break the neck of his rider. He never won a race, or never will. Walk up and see the circus performance."

The latter part of his remarks were prophetic. On the first dash Tom Shaw's playful bay led at the half and had the race well in hand, when opposite the dove cot he wheeled and bolted for the little gate, and when he found it was too small to crawl through he attempted to climb the fence, to the imminent danger of his rider, who stuck to him, wheeled him in line, and in spite of the big distance the horses had gained on him came in a good third, Topsey winning the heat. No time. In the repeat Topsey again won, Domino being tired out. No time was given.

A JUMPING TRIAL.

Major Dupont is confident his magnificent hunter, Plunger, can jump a 6 feet hurdle. Dan Mitchell, who lifted the handsome bay over 5 feet 5 inches on Friday, held the world championship for several years. It is now held by Filemaker, of Chicago. The leap, 7 feet 3¼ inches.

THE OAR.

ONLY TWO COMPETITORS.

NANAIMO, Oct. 1.—(Special.)—In the amateur boat race this evevening, for a prize presented by Foreman A. Campbell, there were only two competitors, J. Bell and W. O'Dell. The race was won easily by the former.

FOOTBALL.

SUNFLOWERS V. JAMES BAY.

A scratch game of Association football was played between the Sunflowers and the James Bay juniors, at Beacon Hill, yesterday afternoon.

PRACTICE GAME OF RUGBY.

There was a practice game of Rugby yesterday afternon between teams picked on the ground between Sir Robert Arbuthnot and Mr. Haines. The former's team was victorious by one goal and three tries to a try; the result being mainly due to the combination play of the backs and good dribbling of the forwards. Considering the greasy state of the ground, and the game being the first of the season, the play was very good, and gives promise of a successful season for Victoria.

MACLEAN VS. MARTIN.

Maclean and Martin yesterday morning had a race for $50 a side, the course being the usual one of three miles, from the boat house to Deadman's Island and return. Martin had the advantage of sliding seats, and from the start took the lead. For more than half the course he was nearly a length ahead of his antagonist, who appeared to be reserving his strength for a final effort. When Maclean put on his spurt, the bow of his boat was caught in seaweed, which materially retarded his speed. Finding the obstacle a serious one, he dropped his oars to remove it, giving Martin three lengths of a lead. The course clear, the former brought his reserved strength to bear, and soon caught up. Passing the bridge the boats were abreast, and a most exciting finish was witnessed, the Fraser River man getting in not quite a boat's length in advance of Martin. Time, 24 minutes.

MACLEAN AND BUSH MATCHED.

Maclean will row Bush over the same course as Saturday's race on Monday afternoon for $50 a side. The race will start at 4 o'clock.

THE RING.

BILLY WATERS.

TO THE SPORTING EDITOR:—Not long since I noticed in the WEEKLY COLONIST a clipping from the Hongkong Telegraph. It was a very glowing account of the career of Billy Waters, so called champion middleweight of British Columbia. Not having any knowledge of that gentleman as a member of the pugilistic fraternity I should like to bring to the minds of your readers some facts concerning the championship of this section. I am not very familiar with the style of "stopping" men which is customary with Mr. Waters, but if his style of stopping Dan. O'Donnell was "fine," then there can be no question as to the ability of any amateur to stop the first-class man in "fine style," for no man can fight without some opposition.

The reason Smith, ex-champion middleweight of Australia, "failed" to knock Mr. Waters out in six rounds, at Tacoma, was because he was simply filling a vacancy on the bill for the evening and, by previous arrangement, Waters was to be allowed to "stay." Even then the rounds had to be reduced to one and one-half minutes in order that the "fake" might not be too evident. During the combination of "the Marine," Smith and Ellensworth, Waters had no evident connection with them whatever. When Waters met Clem Austin, the champion of British Columbia, at Tacoma, the watch of the timekeeper, as in the bout with Smith, of Australia, again went too slowly, and the rounds had to be shortened to give Waters a chance to locate himself. After Austin had spent the six rounds in child's play with his opponent, "the Marine," who acted as referee, in order to complete the farce of Waters posing as a "pug," announced that he gave the bout to "Jack the Ripper."

In Jem Burns, Waters, on American soil, for the first time met a man of his class. Punch Towers and Prof. Donaldson, though men of a very different stamp, both far outclass this self-styled champion of British Columbia. When Mr. Waters came before Ed. Cuff, he was again, as in the go with Smith, in the capacity of a "bill-filler," and when he met Danny Needham, although "truth is strange, stranger than fiction," Mr. Waters, at last, acknowledged himself vanquished, and that on American soil.

I bring these facts forward that this section of country may not be misrepresented abroad, and that the men at home may have fair consideration. Mr. Waters does not, and never can, hold the championship of British Columbia, now held by Clem Austin.

FAIR PLAY.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Messrs. Ferguson and Desjardins Elevated to the Senate—The Supreme Court.

More French Records Relating to Canada to Be Obtained—Governor Schultz's Advisers.

New Location for Victoria's Quarantine Station Recommended by Engineer Gamble.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Oct. 1.—At to-day's meeting of the Cabinet, John Ferguson, ex-M.P. for Welland, and Alphonse Desjardins, member for Hochelaga, were created Senators. The latter appointment makes a vacancy in the House of Commons.

A Chief Justice of the Supreme Court will likely be appointed next week. Judge Strong will probably be promoted. Robert Sedgwick, Deputy Minister of Justice, is spoken of for Judge Strong's place.

Archivist Brymner goes to Paris shortly to look up old French records relating to Canada.

It appears that Lieut.-Governor Schultz is not in antagonism with his advisers, but withheld his signature from an order-in-council at Premier Greenway's request until certain errors, affecting the surveys, had been rectified.

In the Jewish calendar, this was the day of expiation. The Jewish convicts at St. Vincent de Paul informed the Warden of their religious scruples against working today. The warden wired here for instructions, and Sir John Thompson replied exempting the Jewish convicts from working.

Two other vessels have arrived at Grosse Isle from Antwerp, and are now being fumigated.

Archbishop Tache's memorial has been published. It is an extended document, and goes over the old rights of the Roman Catholic minority in Manitoba, and asks that their representations be heard by the Privy Council. A day will shortly be appointed, at which the Provincial government, as well as Archbishop Tache's friends, will be allowed to present their cases.

Engineer Gamble has reported locating a quarantine station at Williams Head, five miles west of Victoria, instead of at Albert Head. He says it is more sheltered and vessels can make a better landing. There is a good water supply. The Minister of Public Works is considering the report.

Major McLennan, M.P., and Senator McMillan left for British Columbia to-night.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Quebec Business Tax Declared to Be Very Injurious to Trade.

Quebec Ministerial Changes—The Assessment of Toronto—Dissolution of N. B. Legislature.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Mercier's House Sold.

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—The residence of ex-Premier Mercier on St. Denis street, has been bought by A. Davis, superintendent of the Montreal water works, for $105,000. Mr. Davis had a mortgage on the house for $40,000. There were arrears to the extent of $700 for taxes, insurance and interest on mortgage.

Business Tax.

MONTREAL, Oct. 1.—The recently imposed business tax was the subject of a discussion at the meeting of the Chambre de Commerce yesterday. A petition was received from a number of wholesale merchants asking the Chambre de Commerce to use its influence to have the law so amended at next session that the tax would not be detrimental to trade as at present. The petition was referred to the next general meeting.

Prosperity of Quebec.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—Arrivals and tonnage at this port from sea in 1891 and 1892, up to September 30th show an increase of 105 sailing vessels and 345 tons more this year. There is also an increase of fifty-six ocean steamships and 107,750 tons.

The Caron Charges.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—H. J. Beemer, contractor for the construction of the Quebec and Lake St. John Railway has admitted that he possesses documents showing subscriptions to the fund to assist in the election of Sir Adolphe Caron and other Conservatives, and he has been ordered to produce them in court. Hon. Thomas McGreevy admitted receiving $25,000 from Sir Adolphe Caron in 1887 for election purposes, but denied knowing where Caron got the money.

Dissolution in New Brunswick.

ST. JOHNS, N. B., Oct. 1.—The legislature has been dissolved. The nominations take place on October 15, and the elections on the 22d. This puts an end to the Legislative Council and gives the province one legislative branch. It is only two years and a half since the last election.

Will Return Soon.

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—It is understood Hon. Edward Blake, Member of Parliament for South Longford, will return to Great Britain in a month or six weeks. It is expected he will be accompanied by Mrs. Blake.

Against Over Assessment.

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—An organized movement against the over-assessment of real property in the west end of the city has been set on foot. This is the result of the collapse of the boom in suburban property.

Quebec Political Changes.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—Hon. J. J. Ross, Ex-Provincial Premier, had a long interview yesterday, with Lieut.-Governor Angers, when it is understood a definite arrangement was arrived at between them to exchange positions. Mr. Angers will be made a Legislative Councillor, Senator and President of the Senate, and Dr. Ross will replace him at Spencer-Wood.

C. P. R. Land Sales.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 1.—During the month of September, the C. P. R., sold 15,442 acres of land in the Northwest, realizing for the same $50,057. For the same period last year 4,976 acres were sold for $17,979.

Prohibition in Manitoba.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 1.—The total majority for prohibition in the recent vote taken in this province was 12,522. Only two divisions gave a majority against prohibion.

Prospective Bye-Election.

HAMILTON, Oct. 1.—It is said a likelihood exists that a bye-election will take place in Hamilton, shortly, to fill the vacancy made by Alex. McKay being appointed to the inspectorship of Customs, rendered vacant by the death of T. C. Milburn.

Steamer Ashore.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—The Beaver Line steamer Lake Huron, went ashore near St. Jean des Chaillons, last evening.

Toronto's Assessment.

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—The assessment figures for the city have been made public. They show the assessed value of the city to be $151,927,000, as against $153,952,000 for last year. The decrease is owing to the Provincial law exempting $100 of all income, and to the city by-law exempting manufacturing machinery, plants and tools.

Provincial Legislature.

QUEBEC, Oct. 1.—The Local Legislature will probably not open until December, or three months later than was expected.

Glanders Prevalent.

TORONTO, Oct. 1.—Glanders has appeared among the horses in this city. Already three animals have succumbed to the disease and a number of others are affected. Vigorous steps are being taken to stamp it out.

MANY YEARS AGO.

A Suicide in London Recalls a Bloody Tragedy in Former Years.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—By the suicide to-day of William Wainwright, the owner of a prosperous brush factory, a good churchman and past master of a Masonic lodge, a notable murder committed years ago was recalled, which at the time created an immense sensation in this city. On September 11, 1875, Henry Wainwright, a brother of the man who killed himself to-day, was arrrested for murdering a woman named Harriet Lane, about 25 years old. Henry Wainwright formerly carried on his brush making business at 215 Whitechapel. On the day he was arrested, Henry Wainwright asked a brushmaker to accompany him to his former premises to help him lift a couple of packages. He went with him and found the parcels with three ropes tied around them. There were also a chopper and hammer that Wainwright wanted the man to buy. The brushmaker complained of the weight of the bundles, and laid them down while Wainwright went in search of a team. When Wainwright had gone, the man broke in the bundle and discovered a woman's head. On closer examination it was found that the bundle contained the remains of a woman, chopped to pieces. The police were called and a close investigation made. The body was found to be that of Harriet Lane, and when the parts of it, which had been buried, were found, Wainwright's relations with the woman were unravelled and his reason for the crime made clear. He was tried for murder and hanged at Newgate on December 21, 1875. William, the brother, who committed suicide to-day, was suspected to have had a hand in the murder.

HAWAIIAN POLITICS.

The Ministry Refuse to Resign and Retain Their Seats.

HONOLULU, Sept. 22.—During the debate in the Legislature on September 14 on the resolution of want of confidence in the Ministry, a sensation was caused by Representative Thurston declaring that one of the nobles had been spirited away and was confined in a palace. A motion to adjourn to the 15th was put and lost, amid considerable confusion. Further arguments were indulged in, the opposition, represented by Representatives Wilcox, Bush, Smith and others, insinuating that the Cabinet was responsible for the absence of Noble Kanoa. Minister Neumann said that any statement made of connection of the Cabinet with Noble Kanoa's absence was an infamous falsehood. An adjournment was finally had until the next day, when a further war of words was indulged in. A vote on the want of confidence resolution was not reached until late on the afternoon of the 15th. They were found to be 24 in favor to 21 against the resolution, the Ministers not voting. The President ruled that five was the necessary majority to oust the Ministry, and immediately afterward left the chair, declaring the House adjourned. A scene of the wildest confusion followed, Representative Wilcox fiercely denouncing the Ministers as ungentlemanly, shameless and devoid of any sense of honor. The Ministers left the House, not, however, before Minister of Foreign Affairs Harker had challenged Wilcox to fight. The House finally adjourned for lack of a quorum. An appeal was taken from the decision of the chair to the Supreme Court, and they, on Monday last, rendered their decision upholding President Walker, and thus permitting the Ministers to retain their seats. They are still there, and the regular business of the Assembly is now being conducted slowly, but properly.

Change is Welcome.

GENTLEMEN,—For twenty years I suffered from Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Poor Appetite, etc., and received no benefit from the many medicines I tried, but after taking five bottles of B.B.B. I can eat heartily of any food, and am strong and smart. It is a grand medicine and has made a wonderful change in my health.
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BILL NYE'S SAYINGS.

He Airs his Eloquence as to What he Knows about Cholera.

He Also Refers to Brother Dangerfield and Many Other Characters.

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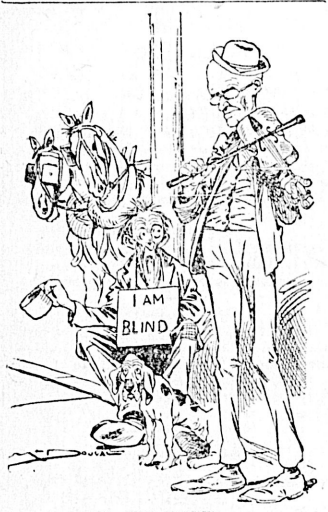
The mail brings the sad intelligence that in the case of the people of Illinois versus Isaac Dangerfield, of Chicago, the defendant has been held by Judge Glennon in the sum of $20,000 to the grand jury of Cook county on the charge of embezzlement.

Mr. Dangerfield stood high socially in Chicago and was one of the first gents west of the Alleghanies to wear a box coat. It did not touch him anywhere except on the shoulders, and is still believed to have been made in England.



ON THE STREET.

He is charged with taking, keeping, retaining and clinging to $10,000, which was deposited with him to bind the bargain in the purchase of the Pontiac, Oxford and North railroad, a Michigan line 100 miles in length, which Mr. C. T. Gregory began the purchase of about two years ago through Dangerfield.

The trade held fire, I believe, and so the depositors one day asked Isaac to return the $10,000, but he had put it into a team or something and so claimed that the money was forfeited. He has had the money now two years, and was hoping that some one else would come along and forfeit a like sum before cold weather came on.

Isaac at one time published the speeches of Emory A. Storrs, of Chicago, in book form, but the widow did not get anything in return except social recognition by Mr. Dangerfield, whose manners are easy and fluent.

Later on he published a book for me in an ungrarded moment and has corresponded with me ever since in a light, airy and graceful style, which has been a great help to me. When I began to correspond with him my style was rather heavy and labored, but after the first two years people noticed that I was getting a command of language that indicated deep thought and mobility.

Socially Mr. Dangerfield is ambitious, and he may be found at all times hobnobbing with his superiors in a bright and cheery way. When he began to publish my book, I got the refusal of a good cow here where I live, paying five dollars for the option and promising to pay the balance on receipt of Mr. Dangerfield's check.

We are still without milk!

Mr. Dangerfield is well fitted to shine in society, but in a business way he is erratic, conservative and past finding out. He entertains with a lavish hand, mussing around in the salad and while you wait a style of mayonnaise dressing that should teach us not to cling too closely to life, but rather to be ready at all times calmly to accept our doom, such as it is, and give a receipt for same.

Dangerfield is not his real name, but I have it on file for the use of those who contemplate dealing with him.

Branscomb Ruth, of Mudhaven, Mass., writes to ask for information. "Can you," he goes on to say, "tell me if you ever traveled among the people of Beled El Mehgreb? I am quite a student of those and kindred races and am also passionately fond of paleolithic and neolithic remains. Tell me all you know regarding this people and their country. I am teaching this season, hoping to get the means to visit that region in a few years. God knows that I would not teach a summer school here at Mudhaven and try to do right at eighteen dollars per mo. if I did not have hopes of seeing the world and writing a book upon it."

You will succeed, Branscomb, if you press on, and you will no doubt see the world and write a book upon one side of it at least. I have taught a summer school myself and know how tedious it is. At the age of eighteen years and three months I taught a country school composed largely of youth and middle aged people. I taught in the English language, and tried at eventide to learn the violin by means of a pamphlet. I am still proficient in the English language, and last month while paying a visit to New York, remembering what a great violinist once did, I took the bow from the hands of a blind musician at the depot who had been permitted to play there, but who had not heard the plunk of a penny in his poor old hat all day.

With a great gulp of joy I took the bow from his trembling and as I may say sobbing hand. As he could not see me, of course he did not know that a considerable of a virtuoso had the instrument. In fact, as he afterward told me, he did not know me from Adam's off ox. Running my fingers carelessly along the finger board to see if the gamute was all right, I put some rozzum on the bow, meanwhile looking about over the sea of upturned dry goods boxes with a stern but beautiful side expression, and then sweeping the strings with long, earnest strokes I soon struck into the smooth cadences of "Il Trovatore" and "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing," arranged for me by Chubb, the fishing rod man.

Business began to show signs of congestion. Carts and wagons stopped and blocked up the street. Some knew me by my truthful and faithful efforts to look like my cartoon. The blind man held his hat, and pennies were ever and anon dropped into it by smiling hands, as it were. The crowd grew apace. Fully 500 people were gathered about me near the ferry. They were good natured and generous, and the old man's eyes twinkled till I feared he would forget himself and see things, but as I wearied and the crowd began to ask for other selections, a tall man, with pompadour hair, came in on the Pennsylvania road, and every man, woman and child deserted me to follow him away.

Need I add that it was Corbett, the trimmer and copal varnisher of my fellow author, John L. Sullivan?

They had come there to see him. According to the report made by a very well known paleolithic expert of France, there are abundant signs of paleolithic men all over that country. The region is west of the Nile and toward the southeast corner of that belt of virgin real eastate known as the Desert of Sahara.

M. Chatelier says that the spoor of paleolithic man points to the existence of human beings here in the quaternary period, and even back of that at a time when the distribution of land and waters was far different and when the Desert of Sahara was a little streak of sand where the Egyptians came to get material for plastering. An old limekiln is still on the ground, though some claim it is a royal tomb or sarcophagus bed.

The scientist says very truly, I think, and I am borne out in this opinion by my fellow scientist, Tunk Brady, author of "Ten Groggy Goes and Ten Seconds of Silence," a book that had a large sale while Tunk was popular, but is now out of print, that "the paleolithic man appears to have been succeeded without a hiatus by neolithic communities who developed to a high degree of perfection the art of making stone implements." As there are no whiskers found in any of the graves it is presumed by Huxley and I that these men perfected the stone razor to such a degree that even the king made all kinds of excuses to leave the throne in order to be shaved twice per day.

M. Chatelier also says that "the most striking features of the prehistorical remains are the megalithic structures—the dolmans, the menhirs, the cromlechs, the trilithons, stone circles, etc.—which are abundantly scattered over the soil from Fez, in Morocco, to the Tripolitan chatteaux."

Unfortunately I did not know this until I had furnished my house. I would have been pleased to look over a few of those myself.

Discovery of Roman coins in some of these dolmans shows, he says, that they may have been contemporary with the old settlers of Beled El Mehgreb; also that a coin pocket in the dolman has always been regarded as a safe place to keep money from the hand of man.

Similar megalithic remains have been found in Palestine and away back in the early history of the cave bear, the three toed horse and the old settlers of Islip.

PERSUADING THE DOG.

The Amorites also left megalithic remains and two or three Cornish jokes still bearing the marks of the clumsy stone implement with which they were hewn out.

It must be a great comfort to these people to know that they have been successful in leaving megalithic remains. Washington awoke one morning to find himself the father of his country, but he left no megalithic remains. Columbus discovered the country of which Washington in a number of well chosen remarks officially became the father, but even Chris left no megalthic remains which would resist the elements and the over zealous tooth of Time.

What may we learn from this?

One hundred dollars in cash or farm produce will be given to the first one who discovers what we should learn from this.

I wrote to a paper once that was trying to boom its circulation by offering $1,000 to the first one who should write the correct solution of a rebus published in this paper and inclose one dollar also for subscription. The editor sent me a letter in which he said that my solution was correct, as also were many others. But unfortunately his wife, being right handy to the office, had been the first one to solve it, and as she was a very needy person and very well connected by marriage he had awarded the prize to her.

Another correspondent writes from Star Prairie, Wis., to ask regarding a question of law, as follows: "Would you mind taking the time to answer, publicly or privately, as you may choose, for the benefit of a young law student, whether or not the oyster is, as a matter of fact, real estate or personal property?"

Oysters running wild or in a state of nature are neither personal property nor real estate, but upon becoming domesticated and put to bed, as I may say, they are ruled by the New Jersey court of chancery to be real estate, and subject to the laws regulating the taxation and alienation of real estate.

Judge Pierce, of Ellsworth, Pierce county, Wis., and Judge Hough, of New Richmond, St. Croix county, have both held that the oyster itself may be and often is real estate, but that the oyster bed is personal property and may pass without regard to the statute of limitations or the laws regarding the alienation of realty.

The statutes under Justinian held that the oyster plant while growing was real estate, but when detached from the realty it became personal property, while the oyster bed in this case, or the oyster plant bed, becomes real estate.

Then comes the question of taxation of the oyster bed. Shall we regard it as furniture or farm? These questions have puzzled greater legal minds than mine, and John Randolph and Daniel Webster went down to their graves not knowing whether the oyster bed should face the north or be made up with the oyster's head toward the engine.

Another correspondent asks to know if cholera is known to exist in North Carolina, and also whether the great hand to hand combat between Miss Lottie Collins and the soft shell crabbers of Fire Island will be renewed in the future.

In reply would say that there is no cholera in North Carolina at this writing. Western North Carolina is the point to which many thousands come to be absolutely free from cholera. Our air is perfectly pure, and people who do not have too large a living surface are cordially invited to come and help themselves. Friends with means and short one lung are cordially requested to come and cough with us without charge.

The sporadic case of cholera reported from near my house at Buck Shoals, N. C., turns out to have been brought on by the use of medicated watermelon with chemicals in it which had been administered by these fair hands. It grew in my patch, and so I felt free to manipulate it as I saw fit.

The man is now out of danger, but has been quarantined till I can get my bulldog to give up his pants—not the bulldog's pants, but the man's pants.

The trouble at Fire Island on the 13th and 14th of September was rather disgraceful, but resulted from the fact that our government is not quite despotic enough in case of emergency. The popular clamor of Islip, which turned out to be the unpopular clamor of Constable Hook, would have gone to Siberia for life if he had not acted in a cholera country as he did here.

Freedom, I have always said, is a good thing for those who have been brought up in it, and who have had it on the table with their meals ever since they were children, but for those who are not used to it it becomes too exhilarating, and one whiff of it seems to call for another till they fetch up in a new made grave.

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The Prisoner, Dominic Taraniello, Taken to the Scene of the Tragedy for Identification.

The Northfield tragedy is still enshrouded in mystery. Who the assassin was, what his motive, and how he accomplished the crime, are yet matters which the authorities are not able to decide upon.

It has been ascertained that a Nanaimo store keeper named Langton sold a knife to a stranger on Wednesday evening, only a few hours before the murder was committed. He (Langton) says he took a good look at his strange customer and thinks he would be able to identify him again; but this remains to be seen. The production of the knife with which the cutting was done and its identification as the one which was bought on Wednesday evening would be good evidence, but it is lacking, and in the meantime all the statements are theoretical.

Officer McNeill yesterday took the prisoner Dominic Taraniello to Northfield; but, up to late last night, there was no fresh information as to identification, etc. He still maintains his innocence, and in fact claims absolute ignorance of the affair except in so far as he is aware that the woman he married was reported to him to have been "crooked," and it was with the deceased that his wife was living. Yet no one saw him and it will, indeed, be difficult to identify him or prove anything against him except on circumstantial evidence. In the meantime further developments are awaited with more than ordinary interest.

The principal evidence given during the progress of the coroner's inquest was the following by Second Cavallero, of Northfield, a coal miner. He said:

"I live at Northfield, in the County of Nanaimo. I saw the man lying in the coffin and which was shown to the jury. I knew the man, he was my brother. I saw him last alive just before he died. He was dying when I saw him; that was yesterday morning, the 29th of September, at 9 o'clock. Previous to yesterday he was in good health. The night before last (the 28th of September) I was in Belgian street in Northfield, in a cabin, talking with another person, when I heard some women crying or shouting out. I went out and ran up to them to see what was the matter, and found that they were calling for me, and they told me that my brother had been stabbed. They told me where he was lying in the street. I picked him up and helped him down the street. When I went up to my brother first he said, 'I have been stabbed with a knife.' After taking my brother into my house, I went up for Dr. Campbell. My brother was bleeding heavily all this time and his bowels were hanging out and supported in one hand. Dr. Campbell came back with me and attended to my brother. The deceased told me, after Dr. Campbell arrived, that he (the deceased) would never get better or get well any more. I am positive he said this, and that he fully believed he was dying. He told me that he was going to die sure. He said that he was going to die sure as he was getting worse every minute. He told me how to divide his property and to give a certain quantity to each of his brothers. He was a Roman Catholic, but did not use any prayers or pray himself before he died. Before his death and at the time the deceased made a statement of how the stabbing occurred, he, the deceased, was sane, conscious and aware of his approaching death. I am sure of that.

"The statement of the deceased to me was this: That about 10 or 15 minutes after 9 o'clock on the night of the 28th of September he heard a knock at his door. The deceased then said that he asked who was there but nobody answered. He said he heard the knock again, and that he asked once more who was there but nobody answered. The deceased then said that he got out of bed, went to the door and opened it, and just as soon as he opened the door somebody stabbed him. After he was stabbed the deceased said that he drew backwards and the man passed him and went into the bedroom. When the deceased saw this man go into the bedroom he said that he (deceased) went out of the house and ran as far as the street and round the corner. I don't know the name of the person who lives there. The deceased said that when he reached the street he fell at the place where I picked him up. The deceased told me that from the manner in which the man acted in going into the bedroom after stabbing him that it was Dominic Taraniello who cut him. The deceased told me besides that the general appearance of the man, in figure and in height, was exactly similar to that of Dominic Taraniello.

"I knew Dominic. I saw him last a long time ago at a dance at No. 6 of the Wellington collieries. The reason that my brother believed that it was Dominic Taraniello who stabbed him was from the fact of his passing him and going into the bedroom; this made him suspicious of Dominic, because he (the deceased) was to have left that morning if he had not been cut, for Seattle to marry her on his arrival there. The deceased and Dominic never had any trouble previous to this. Dominic Taraniello was said to have gone to Alaska, and he had heard nothing of his return. My brother had been living with Taraniello's wife a month and a half or two months previous to the cutting. When the stabbing took place Dominic Taraniello's wife was said to be in Seattle. She went over there to try and get a divorce and then marry my brother (the deceased)."

To the foreman: "Nobody, as far as I know, besides my brother, saw the man who stabbed him."

It will be seen by the above that not even the murdered man was able to state positively who the assassin was. If Dominic can produce the man who he says slept with him on Wednesday night at the California Hotel, then the *alibi* will be established, unless there is proof positive that the prisoner was seen in Nanaimo or Northfield at the time he claims to have been here. The more enquiry the authorities make the more mist gathers about the occurrence; yet at almost any time there may be something turn up which will clearly indicate who is the guilty party.

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A good actress and a well known play was the combination which served to draw the largest crowd of the season to Ming's opera house last night.

The actress was Margaret Mather and the play was Shakespeare's great tragedy, "Romeo and Juliet."

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Miss Mather was well supported in the entire cast. A special mention may be made of Jos. E. Whiting, as Mercutio.—Helena Independence.

This company is the next attraction at the Victoria Theatre.

IN CITY CHURCHES.

Services That Will Be Held To-Day in the Various Places of Public Worship.

Harvest Home Festivals to Again Occupy a Prominent Place in the List.

CHURCH-GOERS throughout the city will, after the busy week just past, welcome the blessed Sunday, the day of peace and rest. In a number of the places of worship the services to-day are of especial interest. Thanksgiving "Harvest Homes" are the order of the day, and are either being held or being arranged for. In most of the Anglical churches, however, special attention will be paid to the National holiday known as Thanksgiving Day, and in the meantime quiet work is being done in preparation.

Following is a list of services which will serve as an index:

ANGLICAN.

Christ Church Cathedral—Morning and evening at the usual hours. Canon Beanlands and Rev. J. B. Hewetson.

St Barnabas—8 a.m., 10:30 a.m. Preacher, the Lord Bishop. Also at 7 p.m. Harvest festival in the evening. Rev. A. J. Greer.

St. James' James Bay—8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Preacher, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

St. Paul's, Esquimalt—At the usual hours. Bishop Hills conducts morning service.

St. Luke's, Cedar Hill—Morning and evening, Rev. M. C. Browne.

St. Saviour's—Morning and evening, the Rev. W. D. Barber. Holy Communion at 11 o'clock.

St. Mark's—Morning, Rev. W. H. P. Arden; evening, Rev. Geo. Taylor.

Cardboro Bay—7:30 p.m.; Provincial Jail—2 p.m.; Hospital—3 p.m.; Indian Reserve—3:30 p.m.

The Thanksgiving services at St. Barnabas will be of special interest. Similar services will also be held on Thursday at St. Mark's, when the sermon will be preached by Rev. W. D. Barber.

The annual Harvest Thanksgiving services will be held at Christ Church Cathedral on Wednesday evening next at 8 o'clock. Special and appropriate music for the occasion has been in preparation by the choir for some time past, and the sacred edifice will be suitably decorated by the ladies of the congregation.

PRESBYTERIAN.

In First Presbyterian church, Dr. Campbell will conduct both diets of worship. Morning subject of sermon: "The hidden support of the Christian." Evening text: "Behold the Lamb of God." Every pew is thrown open to strangers, who are heartily made welcome to join in the worship of God.

St. Andrew's, services at 11 a. m., and 7 p.m. Rev. P. McF. McLeod.

St. Paul's, Victoria West, services morning and evening. Rev. Mr. McRae.

Presbyterian Mission, morning service. Rev. A. B. Winchester.

METHODIST.

Rev. Coverdale Watson will preach in the Centennial, Gorge Road, Methodist, Sunday morning, and in the evening in the Pandora avenue church.

Rev. Prof. Whittingham, M.A, Principal of the Methodist college in New Westminster, will occupy the pulpit of the Centennial, Gorge Road, church in the evening, and in the morning, the Pandora avenue.

Rev. S. Wilkinson will preach, morning and evening, in the James Bay church.

BAPTIST.

Calvary Church, Herald street—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev. Thomas Baldwin, of Seattle, will preach both morning and evening. Young people's meeting at 6:15.

Emmanuel Church, Spring Ridge—Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. as usual. The pastor, Rev. P. H. McEwan, has returned from Ontario, and will preach morning and evening.

GENERAL CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. F. Hensen, of Port Townsend, will hold a Gospel service in the Young Men's Christian Association's rooms, 40 Broad street, at 11 a.m. All German speaking people are invited to attend.

Services will be held at the Christadelphian Hall at 11 a.m., for the Breaking of Bread; at 7 p.m., reading, subject, "The overthrow of human power, judgment on the world, and the setting up of the kingdom of God. (Rev., chaps. 15 and 16.) All are welcome.

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THE PROVINCIAL FAIR.

Unfavorable Weather Interfered Somewhat With the Attendance on the Closing Day.

General Approval of the Proposal to Change the Time of Holding the Show.

The Provincial Exhibition came to a close last evening. The fifth day proved a disappointment, threatened rain interfering with the attendance, which was the smallest yet. Those who were present, however, thoroughly enjoyed themselves, in viewing the fine collection of exhibits, listening to the cheerful music of the band, or watching the horse racing, which, as will be seen from the report elsewhere, proved very interesting indeed.

The paying of prizes commenced yesterday, and the treasurer, Mr. G. A. McTavish, was consequently very fully employed. The exhibitors as a whole are well pleased with their experience on the grounds, and it is safe to say that the consideration shown for their comfort this year, will have a good effect upon the next exhibition.

The proceedings at the annual meeting, fully recorded in the COLONIST of yesterday, were the subject of general conversation, and the determination to change the date of holding the fair in future to early in August, seemed to meet with hearty approval on all sides. The force of the objection urged against the present date, that the Association are at the mercy of the weather, was well illustrated at this exhibition, sunshine and shower alternating with provoking uncertainty. Tuesday, when the judging was in progress, and the public were not admitted, was perhaps the finest of the week. Wednesday, rain put an effectual damper upon the formal opening proceedings. Thursday, the most important, was fortunately all that could be desired in the matter of weather, and Friday also was well favored, But yesterday, which the half holiday and the attractions offered should have made the second in importance, was effectually spoiled by the threatened rain, though the actual fall was not heavy. "We have to trust to luck," said one director, speaking on the subject, "and this year the luck has been against us. All connected with the Association have done their best, and we have made the exhibition an artistic success, if it is not financially what might have been expected."

Last evening the Victoria City Band gave the last of the series of pleasant concerts which have added so much to the enjoyment of all visitors.

The work of removing the live stock commenced in the afternoon, and by nightfall the sheds were depopulated. The remainder of the exhibits will be removed on Monday, and the work of ridding up the place will be immediately proceeded with. By the close of the week the sixteenth annual exhibition of the British Columbia Agricultural Association will have become a thing of the past, and an object of happy memory to the great body of those associated with the undertaking.

CONCERNING "CAMPING" OUT.

TO THE EDITOR:—From the large number of citizens who "camped" out this last season, it is apparent that a sojourn in the country is a necessity to Victorians—similar to the mural inhabitants of other countries, and is it not also suggested that the period has arrived when some *modus operandi* thereto, over and above the method of ye guileless Siwash, would be more in keeping with the wealth and progress of the capital of British Columbia? For people used to living in houses—or not robust—to go and live under a precarious canvas is—apart from its inevitable discomfort and inconvenience—a highly indescreet procedure, while apart from the glamour and hysterical romance alleged to be in "camping," it would be more delectable and hygienic for many to "camp" in the back yards of their city residences. Therefore for those at least who can afford it, and in a province, as this, with incomparable scenic attractions, would not a country chateau shooting or bathing box be the correct card, where tired citizens could recuperate and properly enjoy their *dolce far niente?* This they could do according to their taste with legitimate sport—shooting, yachting, fishing, bathing *ad lib.*, and at a cost equal to, perhaps, the price of window blinds and steps to many a town mansion. Further, what an impetus to many trades would follow—what increased employment for a variety of artisans, what a tone of refinement and civilization to the province, what felicitous variety to city life. To any longer—under any pretext—emulate the economic free house, light and fuel style of itinerant tinkers, seems on every ground to be beneath the dignity of respectable citizenship, and a transparent humbug withal so far as any real enjoyment is supposed to exist. T.

AWARDS FOR BREAD AND CAKES.

TO THE EDITOR:—I noticed in your issue on Thursday, "The first prize was awarded to M. J. Burkholder for assortment of cakes. and M. R. Smith for collection of biscuits." On my arrival at the grounds Thursday morning I found that the first prize was on my cakes and M. R. Smith's name on them. I saw Mr. Bainbridge and told him, and he said he would see into it. I was there in the evening but no alteration was made. Please see into it and oblige,

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A NUISANCE.

TO THE EDITOR:—If, as the Times states, the contractor for the building at the Adelphi corner is obstructing the street, why are they not manly enough to lay the blame where it belongs and complain to the police. Surely the civic authorities are capable of enforcing their own by-laws.

BRITON.

The Woman in the Case.

Yesterday's Seattle Post-Intelligencer says: "Apart from probate business, Judge Lichtenberg's time was occupied in the hearing of the uncontested divorce cases. Six decrees of divorce was granted, in each case for desertion. In five instances the wife secured the divorce. The case of Erina Taraniello vs. Dominick Taraniello, on which a default had already been granted, was dropped from the trial calendar on motion of the plaintiff's attorney. The plaintiff is supposed to be the same woman mentioned in an account of the murder of John Cavalero at Northfield, near Victoria. The woman was to have been married to Cavalero as soon as she secured her divorce. Cavalero in a dying statement accused the husband, Dominick Taraniello, or Dominico Taraniello, as it appeared in the dispatch, of being responsible for his murder. T. H. Cann, who is the woman's attorney, appeared in court without his client and asked for the continuance."

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The firm of Ellis & Co. having been merged into a limited liability company, the COLONIST, from this issue, will be published under the name of "The Colonist Printing and Publishing Company." There will be no change either in the policy of the paper or in its business management. The course which has made the COLONIST the leading paper of British Columbia will continue to be pursued. No pains will be spared to improve its news department, and to make it the best advertising medium in the province. The late firm have been greatly encouraged by the appreciation their efforts to give the public as good a newspaper as the circumstances of the province permitted have met with, and the patrons of the COLONIST may feel sure that the object of the new firm will be to keep abreast of the times, and to give them a paper that will maintain the reputation of this city and this province both at home and abroad. The business of the COLONIST in all its departments will be conducted as liberally, and with as sincere a desire to accommodate its patrons, as it has been hitherto, the management being unchanged.

THE EXHIBITION.

The exhibition this year, considering the circumstances under which it was held, has been a surprising success. It was not until late in the season that it was believed to be possible to get up an exhibition this year at all. The prevalence of the smallpox and the panic which it created, made it quite probable that travel would not be resumed and that business would not return to its wonted channels this year. This, of itself, was a great drawback. Then when the preparations were commenced and the prospect brightened, the power house was burned down and there seemed but a poor chance of the injury done being repaired sufficiently to allow the cars to run before it would be too late to have the exhibition, and it could easily be seen that without the tramway the exhibition could not possibly be successful. But the Board of Management were not to be discouraged. They were determined not to allow the year 1892 to pass without an exhibition, and they went about making their arrangements energetically. The farmers, manufacturers, gardeners and others cordially co-operated with them to as great an extent as, on the whole, could be expected. And the outcome of their combined efforts was an exhibition better than any that has yet been held in the province, and one that British Columbia has good reason to be proud of. The number and the variety of the exhibits were a surprise to all who took into consideration the extreme youth of the province and the number of its inhabitants. The show of manufactures particularly was most encouraging, and the display made by other branches of industry was, considering the many drawbacks and discouragements which all concerned had to contend with, really surprising.

The determination arrived at by the Association to have the exhibition next year earlier in the season was, in our opinion, a wise one. The best time for a holiday, all will have to admit, is in the holiday season, and the province is about the 10th of August in as favorable a position to make a good show of its products, natural and manufactured, as at any other season of the year. We fully expect, therefore, that next year's exhibition will, in every respect, far surpass any before held in the province. Intending exhibitors will, we trust, begin their preparations early. They should do this rather for the honor of the province and to make its capabilities known to the world, than for the money and other prizes they may hope to gain. Public spirit and pride of country should impel them to make the province appear to the best advantage at its annual show.

The President of the Association and its Board of Management are entitled to every credit for their disinterested exertions in getting up this year's exhibition, and we feel quite certain that they will make every effort to give the province, next year, as fine an exhibition as its varied resources will permit.

THE HIGHEST LAW.

Whenever the Times attempts to expound the law or to pass an opinion on its intent and purpose, it is sure to show both its ignorance of the principles of law and its want of reasoning power. It now professes to be indignant that the Attorney-General should pretend that "the Health Act passed prior to the Municipal Act authorizes the suspension by an order in Council of an important section of a more recent measure, when the municipal acts of a series of years have repealed all statutes inconsistent with or repugnant to them." It also characterizes the Health Act as an obsolete enactment of a defunct form of legislature."

These, it must be remembered, are the *dicta*, not of a lawyer who has made a reputation for himself at the bar, but of an amateur, who takes a delight in dabbling in the law, and who appears to think that because he can talk almost as learnedly as Dogberry he should be taken as an oracle on legal questions. The simple and the proper course for the Times to take in such a matter is to consult a lawyer of standing and then publish his opinion on the points it attempts to discuss, not as its own, but as coming from a professional man of good repute. Such an opinion from such a man would be worthy of respect, but it seems to us that the opinion of the Times' amateur is not worth a straw.

It is quite evident that the Health Act was enacted to meet an emergency which every community since the formation of society has had to face, and which every Government, as long as human affairs remain as they are, will have to provide against. It, therefore, can never really become "obsolete." The time will never come when men will not be required to guard against some form of plague in some way.

It does not require very deep thought to see that the Health Act is founded upon a principle which men have for ages acknowledged to be beyond controversy, sound. It is this: "The public safety is the highest law." When imminent danger threatens the public, it is the first duty of the state to guard against it in every way, and at any cost. It must not suffer the law, or even men's most cherished rights, to stand in the way of securing the public safety. So general and so natural is this principle that men act upon it almost instinctively. When, for instance, a town is in danger from fire, men do not hesitate to do what, under other circumstances, would be the most flagrant violation of law. Those engaged in extinguishing the fire without a scruple, break into a man's premises, use his property, and, if the conflagration becomes serious enough they do not hesitate to pull down or to blow up his house in order to prevent its spreading. No one protests against this, for the very sufficient reason that the safety of the public requires the destruction of the valuable property.

All this and a great deal more is done when property only is in danger, but when a community is threatened with a visitation of a contagious and deadly disease, life, which is the dearest possession of mankind, is menaced. If private rights are not allowed to stand in the way of the work of extinguishing a fire they surely should not be suffered to hamper a Government in its efforts to save life.

Everyone must see that the law which is enacted with the special object of keeping off deadly disease, and of regulating the community in which it gets a foothold, must of necessity give those engaged in the work of life preservation most extensive powers, They must not be hindered in that work, and every member of the community must be compelled to do what they consider the public safety requires. Neither laws nor private interests should be permitted to impede the health authorities or to place obstacles in their way.

These considerations show the foolishness and the shallowness of the Times in speaking of the Health Act as an ordinary statute. It is an extraordinary law, enacted to meet an extraordinary emergency—"a desperate remedy for a desperate disease." It, for the time being, and for the purpose of preserving the public health, makes the Government despotic. It transforms, as long as it is in operation, limited authority into arbitrary power. To complain of its invading private rights and superseding public bodies is therefore most unreasonable. It was to invade private rights and to override the authority of inferior legislative and executive bodies that it was enacted. If ordinary power, exercised by the regular authorities, were sufficient to meet the emergency and to ward off the threatened danger there would be no need of a Health Act. But the citizens of Victoria, with the experience they have had, would, we are very sure, be most unwilling to trust the regular authorities, having no other than their ordinary powers, with the work of stamping out the smallpox or keeping out the cholera, and dealing with it if it should make its appearance in the province.

A STUPENDOUS UNDERTAKING.

Every one is ready to admit that the World's Fair is a stupendous enterprise, but very few have anything like a clear idea of its stupendousness. The volumes of description of the Fair grounds, the Fair buildings and the arrangements that are being made for the accomodation of the millions of visitors who are expected to visit Chicago and the Fair next year, give one but a very hazy notion of the greatness and the grandeur of the Exposition. Perhaps the best way of forming an intelligent opinion of the vastness of the undertaking is to consider carefully what it is going to cost, and even then one despairs of getting anything like an adequate conception of the proportions of the World's Fair.

A building with grounds which costs one million of dollars is regarded by ordinary people as something almost, if not altogether, magnificent. The edifice which costs ten millions of dollars to build and furnish must be indeed grand, inside and out. Twenty millions of dollars, one would think, ought to build a handsome city. Well, this World's Fair is calculated to cost those who have undertaken to build it, a great deal more than twenty millions of dollars. It is estimated that before the World's Columbian Exposition is put in good working order, the company that builds it and runs it will have contracted liabilities to the extent of thirty-eight millions of dollars.

This is not a calculation made by some amateur who cannot have an accurate knowledge of the affairs of the company, but the conclusion arrived at by Mr. Ackerman, the auditor who has access to, and who has closely examined, all the accounts of the huge concern. That official estimates the liabilities of the company as follows: Capital stock, city bonds and exposition bonds, $14,600,000; construction, $19,000,000; operation, $4,000,000; total, $37,600,000.

It will be asked how in the world do the projectors of the Fair expect to recoup themselves for this immense outlay? Mr. Ackerman makes no secret of their expectations. He estimates receipts to be: Capital stock, $5,600,000; city bonds, $5,000,000; Exposition bonds, $4,000,000; congressional appropriation, plus premium on souvenir half-dollars, $5,000,000; gate receipts, $12,000,000; salvage, $1,000,000; ceremonies, $150,000; admissions from now until May 1, $350,000; privileges, $5,000,000; total, $38,100,000. Thus we see Mr. Ackerman expects that the Company will be able to pay every dollar it owes and have a net profit left of nearly ten per cent. on the capital stock.

There is, as the reader sees, a very large element of speculation in Mr. Ackerman's calculation. How, for instance, does he know that the gate receipts will amount to twelve millions of dollars, or anything like twelve millions? Many things may occur to spoil his calculation and transform his estimated profit into actual loss. The cholera, for instance, may revive in New York next summer and cause foreigners of all nations to shun the United States; a war may break out between the United States and some maritime power which will make taking a voyage across the Atlantic a very risky piece of business. What is more likely than that the projectors may have greatly overestimated the desire of the people of other countries to visit America, in order to see what civilization has done for the western hemisphere? Many such conditions and events, unforeseen and unthought of, may spoil their plans and ruin their project. The risks they run and the chances they take are almost as immense as the project itself. When everything is taken into consideration, it is impossible not to admire the energy and the enterprise of the men who would engage in so vast an undertaking. Before the gates of the Exposition are opened for the admission of visitors the Company must have expended considerably more than thirty-three millions of dollars. When this is considered, the intelligent reader will see that the World's Fair must indeed be an immense affair.

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AND
Denald Henry McNeill, Alfred McNeill (the younger), George Frederick McNeill, William McNeill, Edward Hamilton McNeill, James Andrew McNeill, Lucy Margaret Clifford (formerly Lucy Margaret McNeill), Matilda Rebecca Carter (formerly Matilda Rebecca McNeill), Helen Fanny McNeill (an infant), Alfred McNeill (the elder), and Mary McNeill, DEFENDANTS,
Pursuant to the order made herein by the Hon. H. P. Pellew Crease, one of the Judges of the Court, on the 29th day of June, 1892, and the further order made on the 21th day of August, 1892, Mr. Joshua Davies, the person appointed by the Court, will sell by Public Auction, at the Salesroom of
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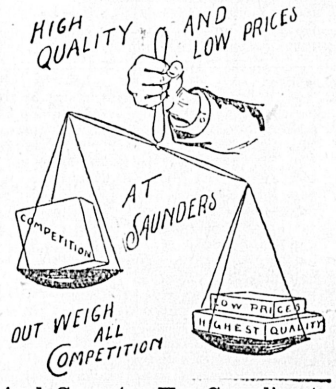

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Le Baron de Bremont Writes of Things, as they Are and are Supposed to be.

What Constitutes a True Woman—Female Non-baby Worshippers—Imported Gowns.

NEW YORK, Sept, 1892.—A woman is not supposed to be a woman unless she likes babies. It is considered of her womanly qualities, and is ted with a fear of mice and black beetles, a deep sense of religion, and an utter incapacity for knocking in nails, and throwing stones. If she doesn't like babies, if she doesn't very readily talk baby language, if she doesn't cheerfully give up her person to be saturated by sticky caresses, and her watch chain for a toy,—if she hasn't that peculiar art of tracing remote likenesses from the pudgy features of babyhood back to the mature features of babyhood's ancestors, -if she doesn't know how to apply the bottle, and which way to turn the infant over when it cries, —then she isn't a natural woman and she has no maternal instincts.

Fortunately most women like babies: hey are born with a taste for them,—if I

Here you see you have the very large bouffant sleeves of velvet with the tight lower portion. The coat itself is composed of a loose negligee sacque falling in folds from the neck hanging straight over a waistcoat of velvet which in it's turn is buttoned over a tunic, somewhat shorter than the outside coat.

may say so without seeming cannibalistic, —exactly as they are born with a taste for candies and finery: I say fortunately, for there are always a lot of babies in the world, the supply being always greater than the demand,—and the woman who doesn't like them has hard work to avoid them.

There are such things,—there are such anomalies as women who don't like babies. These are generally termed "odd girls", and have masculine tastes. They are more to be pitied than blamed. They are all right as long as they are playing golf, or tennis, or smoking cigarettes, or sculling or talking Browning, but bring them face to face with a real, genuine, pink, moist, sticky, irrepressible baby with all the unreasonable whims and fancies and half-expressed, wholly inarticulate wants and general manner of being misunderstood, that a good healthy baby always has, and the odd masculine girl, who is accustomed to have an admiring audience and to feel herself monarch of all she surveys, sinks into a cowering and embarassed being.

She will not degrade herself to talk baby talk, to babble of "Tootsie-Wootsie", and "Didums"; and the language of Milton and Shakespeare is not apparent-

Empire styles shower down upon us. Here is another from Redfern. It is made of crepe de chine and velvet, and makes a very stylish concert or reception gown. It has of course large velvet and of the same material large revers are formed. This gown is very simple but effective.

ly intelligible to this infant whose taste has been prematurely spoiled by this atrocious patois invented by the idiotic mother and aunt tribe.

The masculine, odd sort of girl knows her failings, even her sternest chronicler must allow that much, and she can view the baby whimsically as a sort of necessary evil and take quite a humorous view of the situation when it is once over, but while she is holding it,—the baby, I mean,—she feels that she is not looking her best and realizes that her share of maternal instincts have been given to some other girl.

When she has the baby given to her to hold,—in justice to her I must say that she keeps out of this part of the ceremony as long as she can,—probably as much for the baby's sake as for her own,—then it

This cape is quite a recent importation. The larger wrap is of gold colored faced cloth trimmed with two rows of gold braid. The upper cape is made of a rich brocaded silk, lined with faced cloth which matches the lower cape, the revers being formed of the cloth. These are trimmed with gold braid. The garment is very stylish and useful for theatre wear. If you go into Redfern's salon you will see it there.

is she feels her position most keenly. The baby that was as wax in the hands of the mother, the mother's friend and the nurse,—an elastic baby in fact, adjusting itself with a gutta-percha complacence to any position,—is now inelastic, stiff and unyielding. With an obviously amateurish air the "odd girl" attempts to get the infant into a comfortable position such as she has seen it assume in other arms. No good! the perverse child recognizes the fact that it is being manipulated by prentice hands and resents it with a supernatural indignation which finds speedy utterance. The amateur is at once stamped as a "bungler", one whom baby doesn't "take to" and this gives her for the time a deep humility and a deeper distaste than ever for babies.

I strolled into Redfern's salon last week and looked at the gowns which he has imported. I noted a return, gradual and unobtrusive of course, to the draped skirts and the shortness of the waists is quite surprising. Three materials were employed in many of the gowns of three colors, judiciously and harmoniously

This sketch looks a trifle old fashioned because it is in reality the very latest thing, or rather a rather old thing revived. The two skirts of varying lengths are gored and trimmed with a fancy edged ribbon, which also forms the sash. The bodice is plain with the now usual tight sleeves.

grouped. One gown had a casque of tan colored cloth, braided all over with narrow green and black braids. The remainder of the gown was composed of green and black tweed and the severity of it was enhanced by the prettiness of the highly decorated casque.

Another unique and pretty gown was a princess of tan colored lady's cloth with a longish Eton jacket of black velvet, the open fronts lined with a gleaming yellow silk, and a shoulder negligee of black velvet also lined with the silk; and a stole like scarf of white silk, delicately embroidered with gold is worn inside the velvet jacket to form a vest, which shows just a glimpse of tan color between. The gathered revers, shoulder frills, and wheel shoulder arrangements were on nearly every gown that I saw and also are seen on many of the coats, only the regulation reefer and driving coats being severely made.

And this is what Redfern says,—that red is going to be the future color, think of that! Not a very generally becoming fashion most women will be inclined to think—but Paris has declared it, so it must be so. The passion for Eton coats is abating, and with the long coats of the coming winter will be worn the Empire gown with the extremely high waist line. A wide folded sash will be seen on many of the gowns, though at times there will be no waist band of any description, the skirt portion being simply gathered with a piping to the abbreviated bodice.

Redfern is making a great many evening gowns of real lace made in the Empire style. The demi-saison walking gowns are made of light weight serges, beiges and a good many of corduroy. They are all short.

I must show you an eccentric but extremely stylish coat which Redfern has just imported. It is quite the newest thing out.

LE BARON DE BREMONT.

AMERICAN NEWS.

New Comet Discovered.

GENEVA, N. Y., Sept. 30.—Prof. Brooks, director of Smith observatory, has re-observed a new comet, after an interval of cloudy weather. He finds it three times brighter than it appeared at first, now in the constellation Gemini, right ascension 7 hours and 16 minutes, declination north 27 degrees 31 minutes. The comet is moving eastward, approaching both the earth and the sun, and will increase in brightness several months.

Kid Hogan and Dolly Lyons.

NEW YORK, Sept. 30.—The Coney Island Athletic club to-night signed "Kid" Hogan and Dolly Lyons to fight ten rounds. The contest will take place on the same night as the Choynski-Godfrey fight on Monday evening, October 31. This makes the full programme for the next show.

Sensational Breach of Promise.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—An appeal has been made to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals in the famous breach of promise suit of Mary E. Belanger vs. Robert N. Craswell, which was recently tried in the Circuit Court at Washington, and which caused such a sensation in the Northwest. The jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $10,000, and the appeal is based on the ground of excessive damages and other reasons. Craswell was very wealthy and owned considerable real estate in the State of Washington, although a resident of Bloomfield, Prince Edward Island, Canada.

The Officers' Race.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—The first starter in the Berlin-Vienna officers' race will be Prince Frederick Leopold, of Prussia. He is expected to begin his riding to-morrow.

French Miners Strike.

PARIS, Sept. 30.—The directors of the Carman mines have refused to make the compromise suggested by their striking employes. The deputy manager made a violent appeal to the men after the announcement of this refusal, to continue the strike until they should win. He assured them that every Republican in France would support them in such a course.

Converted to Catholicism.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—Lord Donington, hitherto a staunch Protestant, has become a convert to the Roman Catholic faith.

An Embezzling Bookkeeper.

MONTREAL, Sept. 30.—Joseph Edward Lefebvre, bookkeeper for Ledoux & Co., carriage-makers, was arrested to-day on a charge of embezzling $5,000 of his employers' money. He acknowledged his guilt. Fast living was the cause of his downfall.

TENDERS

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

THE Honourable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works hereby invites Architects to submit on or before the 30th September next (competitive) plans and estimates of cost for the construction of certain Provincial Government Buildings.

Particulars of competition and further information can be obtained from the undersigned.

W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B.C., 16th June, 1892. jul8

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Sheriff's Sale of Lands.

Notice is hereby given that the sale of the lands of Mary Claxton Heathorn, advertised to take place on Thursday, the 15th day of September, instant, and postponed from that day until Monday, the 26th September, instant, for want of bidders, is still further postponed until

Monday, 24th day of October, 1892

At the hour of 12 o'clock noon, in front of the Sheriff's Office, Bastion street, Victoria.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

Under and by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by George Byrnes, Auctioneer, at his auction rooms, corner Fort and Langley streets, in the City of Victoria, on Monday the 3rd day of October, 1892, at 12 o'clock noon, the following lands situate, lying and being in the City of Victoria, B. C., and described as follows:—

All that certain parcel or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being, a portion of section thirty-two (XXXII) Esquimalt District, Vancouver Island, and which said piece or parcel of land is said to contain two and a quarter acres (2¼ ac.) more or less, and which said piece or parcel of land is the same property as was registered on the 22nd day of December, 1880, in the name of the said Frederick George Walker, in Absolute Fees Book Vol. 11, Fol. 565, No. 10171A, as being part of section thirty-two (XXXII) aforesaid, Registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, Also those pieces or parcels of land registered on the 22nd of December, 1880, in the name of Frederick George Walker, in Absolute Fees Book, Vol. 11, Fol. 565, No. 10170A, comprising five acres, more or less, part of section XXXII, Esquimalt District excepting that portion conveyed by the said Frederick George Walker to Beaumont Boggs, registered in Absolute Fees Book. Vol. 11 Fol. 593, No. 10241A. Comprising 1 69-100 acres.

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Notice is Hereby Given

That a meeting of the stockholders of the National Electric Tramway and Lighting Company, Limited Liability, will be held at the Company's temporary office, situate at Burnes House, Bastion Square, on Tuesday the 18th October next at the hour of 3 o'clock, p. m., and that at such meeting will be submitted resolutions for the following purposes, viz:

1. For increasing the capital stock of the Company to the sum of one million dollars.
2. For amending the by-laws of the Company.
3. For authorizing the Directors or Trustees to borrow money upon bonds or debentures.

Dated this 17th day of September, 1892.

Trustees: D. W. HIGGINS, THEODORE DAVIE, C. T. DUPONT, T. J. JONES, JOSEPH HUNTER, JOHN COUGHLAN.

C. T. DUPONT,
se1 Secretary.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability, will be held at the Company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary
Victoria, August 30, 1892. au31

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph Beauchamp Matthews, deceased.

All persons who are indebted to the estate of the above named deceased are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the estate are required to forward the same to the undersigned on or before the first day of October next, and all claims not sent in will be barred.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Solicitor for the Executors.
Victoria, 31st Aug., 1892. se2

NOTICE.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company will be held at the office of the Company, at Victoria, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
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September 28th, 1892.

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Empress of China....	Sept. 10	Sept. 18....
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	Lv	45	.. Kingston ..	41	Lv	
3.00 a.m.	Lv	49	. Pt. Gamble .	21	Lv	11.00 a.m.
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M. QUAD'S SKETCHES.

A Case Where a Kitchen Servant Solved a Mystery.

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While the detective ta ent of the present day is immeasurably keener and brighter than that of twenty-five years ago, it is by no means able to cope with all the strange, queer things which develop in criminal cases. I mean in what may be termed the side issues to the main clew in the case. For instance, a question much discussed in the Borden case at Fall River was whether a stranger could have entered and left the house without being seen. Every one knowing the situation of affairs on the day of the double murder is at least sceptical on this point. Not an official connected with the case believes it possible. If reduced to chances there would not be more than one chance in a hundred of a stranger escaping unseen.

What was known in Scotland twenty years ago as "the Hawick case" was a good illustration of how criminals sometimes take desperate chances and win. Hawick is a town in southern Scotland and right among the mountains. There is a sanitarium a couple of miles out of the town much resorted to by people in the first stages of consumption. As a rule all such patients are people of means. Among those who arrived there in July, 1871, was an English girl named Edith Bailey, whose father was a wealthy Londoner and a widower. A maid named Sarah Andrews accompanied her. Americans who were staying at Hawick at the time pronounced Miss Bailey unusually handsome and attractive. A London physician had said that her left lung was slightly affected, but so far as outward appearances went she was in perfect health. After a week everybody knew her by sight. She would perhaps have been recognized at a distance on foot or in a carriage sooner than anyone else about the place.

Among the men employed about the grounds was a young man named George Adair. He was twenty years old, hardly able to read or write, and was not considered either wise or cunning. He fell in love with Miss Bailey at first sight, but though she afterward remembered of his acting queerly on occasions she had not the slightest suspicion of the real state of the case. Nor had anyone else, for that matter, for Adair had more cunning than they gave him credit for. He realized that the young lady was so far above him in the social scale that he had nothing to hope for without he could secure some unusual advantage. As he afterward confessed, and was no doubt honest in his statements and beliefs, he determined to abduct and imprison her and hope she would learn to love him when she realized how much he loved her. The idea was absurd, of course, but all believed him honest in entertaining it. Two miles away in the mountains was an old drift or tunnel which had been driven for a distance of forty feet and then abandoned. The entrance was hidden by vines and bushes, and everybody about the neighborhood seemed to have forgotten the place. In the course of a week, going to and fro only at night, Adair conveyed bedding, two chairs, a stand, a mirror and other articles of furniture to the tunnel or cave, together with a quantity of provisions. Everything was taken from the sanitarium, and yet no one discovered him at work. For a mile, going and coming, he had to pass over a much travelled highway, but no one afterward came forward to say that they had encountered him. A man carrying a chair ought to attract observation and be remembered, but Adair seemed to have dodged everybody.

The abduction was attended by the same good luck. During an afternoon Miss Bailey walked up the road about a mile, accompanied by her maid. They then sat down in the shade of a large rock, but after perhaps half an hour Miss Bailey fell asleep and the maid carefully got up and began gathering a bouquet. As they left the sanitarium Adair was mowing weeds in a field up the road, but neither of the women observed him. He followed after them, keeping in the fields and determined to take advantage of any opportunity. He even thought at one time of carrying off both girls, but finally decided that the load would be too great for him. Sarah was not over 200 feet away, though out off sight, when Adair crept up to the sleeping girl, passed his folded handkerchief over her mouth and tied it, and by the time she was awake he was carrying her off in his arms. She naturally enough cried out and struggled, but her cries were muffled, and her strength taken away by the surprise of the moment. Adair carried her across an open field forty rods wide, and yet a boy at work at the north end of it, eighty rods away, did not see him. A sportsman at the south end, about as far away, was looking about for game, and yet he was as blind as the boy. The maid returned to find her mistress gone, and though surprised at the fact she argued that Miss Bailey had returned to the sanitarium. She took her own time about getting there, and it was 6 o'clock before there was any general inquiry. It was after dark before anyone was sent out, and next day noon before the search began in earnest.

In nearly every criminal case of moment the detectives waste time by following clews given them by persons who first "guess" or "believe" and then know for certain. In this case the maid wanted to exculpate herself. No one would have blamed her, but she feared that result, and so she "guessed" that a vehicle came along the road while she was wandering about, and that Miss Bailey went for a ride. After "guessing" a few times she was sure that she heard the rattle of wheels and caught sight of a white horse through the trees and bushes. She also heard talking and laughing. Adair was sent to the village and another person up the road, but nothing was to be heard of the missing girl. No one was seriously alarmed until two nights had passed. Then it was plain enough to all that there was a mystery to be solved. The police were called in and every means exhausted to discover what had become of Miss Bailey. Adair was among those questioned. All he had to say was that he saw the two girls go up the road. If Sarah had stuck to the simple truth it would have shortened the search, even if it had not led to discoveries. Every one on the case got a false start. They were led to believe there was a man and a horse and cart mixed up with it. Sarah had heard no outcry. It was therefore argued that Miss Bailey had entered the vehicle of her own free will, and that the driver was an acquaintance at least. It was not until the road leading north had been searched for a distance of thirty miles, and until wagoneers, farmers and landlords all along were sure that no such rig had passed that Bailey was telegraphed for and a detective came up from Scotland Yard.

Something had happened during the interval to deepen the mystery. Miss Bailey's room had been plundered of her trunk and clothing. The maid occupied a room adjoining and yet some one had come by night and removed the articles without raising the slightest alarm. Most of the clothing was hanging up. The garments had been taken down and placed in the trunk, and the trunk carried down a pair of stairs, through two halls and out of the back door. They knew it must have been by the back door because it was found unlocked and a strange key broken in the lock. Until the father arrived it was generally believed that the girl had fled with a lover who had followed on after her. He soon dispelled that belief, and then the professional detective was told to go to work. You will wonder where he could make a beginning. He started with Sarah, the maid. While he did not believe her guilty of conspiracy, he was satisfied that she had either told too much or too little. She stuck out for a day or two, but finally related just what had occurred. She had neither seen nor heard anything. She had been absent from ten to fifteen minutes. Upon her return Miss Bailey was nowhere to be seen. On the ground was the book she had been reading before she fell asleep, and near by was her fan. Sarah had "forgotten" to speak of these things before. The detective was soon satisfied that the whole thing was the work of some daring villain, and as Mr. Bailey was a very wealthy man it was natural to conclude that his daughter had been abducted in order to extort a large ransom. The man who carried her off also carried her trunk from the sanitarium. If he was not going to hold her several weeks somewhere, why the need of extra clothing? And yet the idea of such a crime being perpetrated in Scotland almost paralyzed him and made him doubt his own conclusions.

Detectives who have to go groping through a case make their hits by accident. When this one had reasoned out an abduction he jumpted to the conclusion that Miss Bailey had been carried to the Cheviot hills, twenty miles to the south, and was concealed in some lonely place. While the father offered a reward of £1,000 for the restoration of his daughter a force of officials made a thorough search of the hills in hopes to stumble upon her prison. Not the slightest gram of information was to be picked up. Other detectives were called in, but they could make no progress. After three weeks had gone by it came to be generally believed by all except the father and the first detective that Miss Bailey had run off to be married, and that in due time a letter would be received giving all particulars.

Meanwhile how fared it with the girl? As she was being carried across the field she recognized Adair as an employee of the sanitarium. He had a frank, open face, and though greatly surprised at his actions she was not much frightened. He talked to her as he hurried along, saying he meant her no harm and was only trying to win a wager made with a friend. On the far side of the cleared field she made such a fight that he had to put her down, and she also got the handkerchief clear of her mouth. Then he threatened her with death if she raised an alarm, and she walked the rest of the way to the cave. He had furnished the opening with a rude but stout door, and as soon as she was safe inside he returned to his work and no one noted his absence. That night he returned to the cave and explained to Miss Bailey why he had carried her off. While there was nothing of the villain about him he proved to be so obstinate and pigheaded that the situation was almost as bad. He was respectful and boorishly tender, but very determined. It was he who got her trunk, desiring to make her more comfortable.

Adair visited the cave but once in twenty-four hours, and that about 9 o'clock at night. He provided his prisoner with a lamp, gave her all the news in the case as it happened, and seemed to be greatly delighted over the accounts in the newspapers. Her fare was a portion of that with which he was himself supplied, supplemented by some luxuries he bought in the village. He usually remained from 10 to 12. He was nervous and abashed in her presence, and treated her with the utmost consideration and respect. He would even shed tears over her appeals, but never relented of his purpose. The tunnel turned out to be a cool, dry place, and Miss Bailey did not undergo any physical discomforts on account of the imprisonment. Each day for the first week she hoped to prevail upon Adair to release her. Finding that he could not be moved from his position she gave her consent to wed him, having no intention, of course, of standing by her word. Then he was brought to see that the banns must be published and certain forms complied with, and that a legal marriage with her a prisoner was impossible. Although made desperate by his own stupidity, he would not give up his idea, and thus passed a second week.

Miss Bailey had not been a passive prisoner during the fortnight. She had gone over the place time and time again, hoping to find some weak point to begin operations on, but had found no encouragement. The timbers used for door frames were massive and set against solid rock, and the door would have defied stouter arms and better tools than she could bring to bear on it. At the beginning of the third week Adair became sullen and morose, and she began to fear him. On Wednesday night of that week he proposed that they secretly leave the neighborhood for the coast, and on reaching it take ship for America. She agreed, but here he was baffled again. She had some money in the safe at the sanitarium, but he could not get it and had none of his own. He did not come on Thursday night, but the next evening he threatened that if she did not bring forward some plan within a couple of days to solve the difficulty he would murder her. If he could not marry her no one else should. There was no question in her mind but that he had become daft and dangerous. A simple incident in the kitchen of the sanitarium solved the whole mystery. One of the female servants noticed that Adair had changed greatly of late, and she had her eye upon him when he slipped some food from the table into his handkerchief. Nothing was said to him at the time, but the woman began to put this and that together, and she finally began to wonder and suspect. She communicated with her master, and he with the detective, who was still at the place, and that evening Adair was followed to the cave and Miss Bailey rescued.

While the young man was arrested and thrown into prison it soon became evident that he had lost his mind and could not be held legally responsible. After a medical commission had pronounced on his case he was sent to an insane asylum; Mr. Bailey and his daughter went home, and we who still lingered had ceased to talk of the case when a climax to it came. Adair escaped from the asylum and returned to the sanitarium. I want you to notice again how nonobserving the general run of people are. Two of us who sat on the veranda talking failed to see him, though he passed within thirty feet of us. A woman who sat at a window sewing noticed him, but took him for an altogether different man. A servant passed him on the stairs and called him "Joe," which was the name of another man. He must have passed another female servant and yet she had no remembrance of seeing him, though wide awake. He proceeded to the room formerly occupied by Miss Bailey and there committed suicide by cutting his throat. Even as his body lay in the middle of the floor a servant entered, got something from the dresser and retired without seeing anything unusual.

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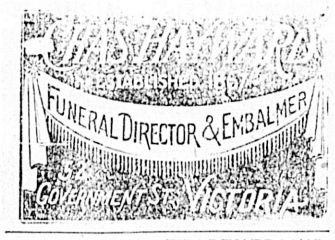

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned trading as "HOOSON, TAYLOR & CO" at Saturna Island, B. C., as quarry proprietors has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, G. G. Taylor retiring from the firm. The said business will be carried on from this date by the undersigned William Hooson, Evan Hooson and John Edward Hooson, under the firm name of "HOOSON & SONS" who will collect all debts and discharge all liabilities on account of the late firm of "HOOSON, TAYLOR & CO."

Dated at Saturna Island this 9th day of September, 1892.

(Sg'd.) WM. HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) JOHN EDWARD HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) EVAN HOOSON.
(Sg'd.) G. G. TAYLOR.

Witness to the signatures of William Hooson and John Edward Hooson. (Sgd.) A. D. Welstead, Saturna Island, B. C.

Witness to the signatures of Evan Hooson and G. G. Taylor. (Sgd.) A. J. Weaver Bridgman, Victoria, B. C. se16

Estate Charles Taylor, Deceased.

Persons having claims against the estate of the late Charles Taylor, Alberni, are requested to present them to the undersigned on or before 17th October next.

MATTHEW TROTTER JOHNSTON.

Wharf Street, Victoria,
17th August, 1892. au18

NOTICE.

The offices of Messrs. W. H. Bainbridge & Co; the B. C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Co. Ld.; the B. C. Agricultural Association; and the Thunder Hill Mining Co. Ld; have been removed from the Jowell Block, Douglas street, to Nos. 42 and 44 Government street. se20

No. 170.]

A BY-LAW

To provide for the assessment of Real Property benefited by Local Improvements.

Whereas it is provided in the Municipal Act of 1892 that the Council of a city municipality may pass by-laws for assessing real property benefited by certain classes of local improvements;

And whereas it is expedient that the provisions of said Act in respect to such local improvements should be applied to the city of Victoria:

Therefore, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the said city enacts as follows:

1. The cost of constructing the works and improvements mentioned in section 273 of the Municipal Act 1892 and the subsections thereof shall be assessed, levied and collected by means of a special rate for local improvements upon the real property benefited thereby.

2. The said Municipal Council may by resolution determine and specify what work or improvements it is desirable to have carried out.

3. On the passage of such resolution, and after it shall have been entered in the minutes of the Council, copies thereof shall be transmitted by the Clerk to the City Engineer and City Assessor.

4. On the receipt by the City Engineer of a copy of the said resolution, it shall be his duty to proceed at once to ascertain the said works or improvements and to make, and certify as correct, a plan and description thereof, and to make an estimate of the expenses or cost thereof, and to ascertain, determine and show on said plan what real property will be immediately benefited by the proposed improvements, and the City Engineer and City Assessor shall after such plan has been made, and certified, conjointly ascertain and determine the proportions in which the assessment is to be made on the various portions of the real property so benefited, and shall make a joint report of all such matters to the said Council, which report, when approved of and adopted by the said Council, shall be entered by the City Clerk in a book to be kept for that purpose, to be called the "Local Improvement Book," and a copy of the plan aforesaid shall be made by the said Engineer and filed in the office of the City Clerk.

5. The said report of the City Engineer and Assessor shall state:

(a) What real property will be immediately benefited by the proposed improvements.

(b) The probable lifetime of the improvements.

(c) An estimate of the probable cost of the proposed improvements and the amount thereof which will be assessed against the property immediately benefited.

(d) The proportions in which the assessment is to be made on the various portions of the real property so benefited.

6. It shall be the duty of the Sanitary or Sewerage Engineer, when so authorized by a resolution of the Council to perform the duties set forth in this by-law as being required of the City Engineer.

7. In ascertaining and determining the cost of laying, making, enlarging, or constructing or prolonging any common sewer, the said City Engineer and Assessor shall estimate the cost of the construction of branch sewers to the line of the street and include the cost of such branch sewers in estimating the assessment for such sewers, or common sewers and reporting to the Council thereon.

8. In any case where in order to afford an outlet for the sewerage and drainage of real property other than that fronting or abutting upon a street in which a sewer is or is proposed to be hereafter constructed such sewer shall be constructed of a larger capacity than that which is, in the opinion of the said City Engineer and Assessor, required for the efficient sewerage and drainage of the real property fronting or abutting upon the street, then and in every case the said City Engineer and Assessor shall estimate, determine and report to the Council what amount of special assessment should in their opinion be imposed on the other real property benefited by the construction of such sewer or drain.

9. When a vacant space intervenes between the line of a street and a building into which or under which a sewer pipe is to be taken, the said City Engineer and Assessor shall ascertain, estimate, determine and report as aforesaid the cost of laying the sewer pipe across such vacant space and under such building, and shall assess the cost of the same against such real property so to be connected with such sewer.

10. In all cases where a main sewer is or shall be laid in any street or through any lot or land, the said City Engineer and Assessor shall ascertain and determine the cost per foot frontage of such main sewer upon the lots (except corner lots) on each side of the portion of the said street or on the lands on each side of said sewer in which or through which the said sewer shall from time to time be laid. In case any of such lots are corner lots, the assessment shall be one-half the said rates, and the said engineer and assessor shall so report.

11. When the Local Improvement shall consist of the opening, widening, prolonging, constructing, or altering macadamizing, grading, levelling, paving, or planking any street, lane, alley, public way or place or any sidewalk, or any bridge forming part of a highway therein, or curbing, sodding, planting any street, lane, alley, square or other public place, or reconstructing or constructing any work by statute provided for, the said City Engineer and Assessor shall, except as provided for in section 14 of this By-Law, ascertain and determine the cost of such improvement or work per foot fronting of all real property fronting or abutting upon the street or place wherein or whereon such improvement or work is proposed to be made or done.

12. In case when it is the duty of the Engineer and Assessor to ascertain and determine the proportion of assessment for local improvements, works and services on corner lots, triangular or other irregular shaped pieces of land situated at the intersections or junctions of streets, the said Engineer and Assessor shall recommend what in their opinion would be an equitable mode of assessment, by having due regard to the situation, value and superficial area of such lots as compared with adjoining lots and pieces of land accessible for such improvements, works and services, and may charge or assess the amount of any allowance made on any such lot or piece of land or the other real property fronting on the improvements or assume the same as a portion of the municipality's share of the improvements as may seem equitable and just.

13. In ascertaining and determining the assessment to be made on lands on either side of a street, lane or alley, which are from any cause unfit for building purposes as compared with the building lots fronting on said street, lane or alley, the said Engineer and Assessor shall, in all cases, determine in what proportion the assessment for any local improvement shall be borne by the lands on each side of such street, lane or alley.

14. When the local improvement shall consist of the construction or repair of any bridge or culvert on any street, lane or alley for the opening up or extending of any street, lane or alley for the more immediate convenience or benefit of any locality, and if from any cause it shall seem to the said Engineer and Assessor inequitable to charge the whole of the cost of improvement on the lands fronting thereon the said Engineer and Assessor shall report and recommend as to what lands are benefited by such works or improvements and the proportion in which the cost thereof shall be assessed against the land so benefited.

15. As soon as the report of the City Engineer and Assessor shall have been received and the report of any amendment thereof shall have been adopted by the Council and entered by the Clerk in the Local Improvement Book as aforesaid, the Clerk shall, save as provided in the following section, cause the said report or a necessary part thereof, or any other sufficient notice describing the nature of the proposed improvement and the assessment proposed to be levied therefor, to be inserted in at least one newspaper published in the municipality for a period of fifteen days.

16. No such published notice as aforesaid shall be given when the proposed improvement consists of the construction of branch sewers to connect any real property with a common sewer, or connecting any building with a branch sewer, or making necessary house or building connections with such sewer, or of laying a sewer pipe across any vacant space and under any building when such vacant space intervenes between a line of a street and such building. In all such cases the cost of the same shall be payable and paid by the owner of such real property so connected with the sewer, and shall be a charge upon such real property, and if any damage be done to this portion of the sewer or its connections or its fittings either by neglect or otherwise, the cost of the same shall be paid by the owner of the real property, and shall be charged as aforesaid, whenever the Council authorize and have made the repairs to the same.

17. If within such period of fifteen days, as aforesaid, any petition is presented against any improvement or assessment of which notice has been duly advertised, as provided, it shall be the duty of the Assessor to ascertain and finally determine in accordance with Sub-section 20, of Section 273, of the Municipal Act, 1892, and report to the council whether the said petition is signed by a majority of the owners of such real property, representing at least one-half in value of said real property and to certify his finding upon the said petition, and to report the same to the Council.

18. Should such petition as aforesaid not be presented to the Council, or should the Assessor certify on any petition that may have been presented that said petition is not signed by a majority of the owners of such real property as may be affected by the proposed improvements, and representing one-half in value of such property, then and in each case the Council shall proceed with the proposed improvements under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvement as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine.

19. Section 4 of the Street By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "graded constructed" in the first line thereof.

20. Any by-law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be, or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by-law is and are hereby repealed in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but not otherwise so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this By-Law.

21. This By law may be cited as the "Local Improvement By-law, 1892." Passed the Municipal Council the 6th day of September, 1892. Reconsidered and finally passed the 9th day of September, 1892.

[L. S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1892, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
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[No. 171.]

A BY-LAW

For the levying of a rate upon land and upon improvements.

Whereas, the Council are empowered by the Municipal Act 1892 to settle, impose and levy rates and taxes upon land and upon improvements within the Municipality, subject to the exemptions therein set forth; and to make, alter and repeal by-laws for raising a municipal revenue by taxes or rates upon land and upon improvements, and in each year to pass a by-law for levying a rate or rates on all the land and improvements upon the assessment roll.

Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, an equal rate of one per cent and one-half of one per cent. upon the assessed value of all land upon the assessment roll for the year 1892 of the Corporation of the city of Victoria.

2. There is hereby settled, imposed and levied, and there shall be raised and collected, an equal rate of one per cent. and three-eighths of one per cent. upon the assessed value of all improvements upon the assessment roll for the year 1892 of the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

3. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable to the Collector of the said Corporation at his office at the City Hall in the City of Victoria, on or before the first day of December, A. D. 1892.

4. The words "land" and "improvements" in this by-law shall have the meaning set out in Section 2 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

5. Any by-law or by-laws containing any provision or provisions which may be or which are inconsistent with or repugnant to the provisions of this by-law is and are hereby repealed in so far only as the same are so inconsistent or repugnant, but not otherwise, so as that full force and effect shall be given to the provisions of this by-law.

6. This By-law may be cited as the "Land and Improvement Rate By-law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 7th day of September, 1892.

Reconsidered and finally passed the 9th day of September, 1892.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
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WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
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(No. 172.)

A BY-LAW

Respecting the expenditure of the Municipal Revenue for the year 1892.

Whereas it is expedient to provide an additional sum of money to meet the requirements of the Board of Health; Be it therefore enacted by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. In addition to the amounts authorized by the Estimates by-law, 1892, and the Supplementary Estimates By-law, 1892, for the purpose of the Board of Health; it shall be lawful to pay out of corporate funds such sums of money not, however, exceeding additionally in the aggregate the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars, as may be authorized from time to time by resolution of the Council of the Corporation for expenses in connection with the Board of Health. Provided that before making the payments the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the Voucher to certify to its correctness, and that the Council have authorized the payment and that the sums paid and authorized are not in the aggregate in excess of the sums appropriated by the Council for the Service.

2. It shall, however, be lawful to pay to any person who has been employed in services connected with the Board of Health and who has been discharged or left the employ of the Corporation; such sums of money as may be due, Provided that the Chairman of the Finance Committee has certified to the correctness of the payment, and the Auditor has in each case marked his initials against the total amount of the Voucher; but the Finance Committee are to report all such payments to the Council at its first regular meeting thereafter.

3. This by-law may be cited as the Board of Health Fund By-law, 1892.

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of September, 1892.

Reconsidered and finally passed the 13th day of September, 1892.

[L. S.] ROBERT BEAVEN, Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between T. W. Carter and W. F. Tolmie under the firm name of Carter & Tolmie, Brewers, has been dissolved as from this date. All persons having claims against the late firm are requested to send particulars before the 10th October next, and all persons indebted to the firm are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness before the same date to the undersigned.

Dated the 17th day of September, 1892.
se18 T. W. CARTER.

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TIME TABLE No. 17,

To take effect at 8.00 a. m. on Friday September 30th, 1892. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP. No. 1 Passenger Daily.	Miles from Wolfn	STATIONS.	Miles from Vic.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.	No. 3 Passenger Saturdays & Sundays.
Ar 12.21	78	VICTORIA	1	De 8.00 A.M	De 2.30 P.M	Ar 5.58
" 12.26	74	RUSSELL'S	4	" 8.04	" 2.34	" 5.54
" 12.10 P.M	71	ESQUIMALT	7	" 8.14	" 2.44	" 5.44
" 11.45 A.M	67	GOLDSTREAM	11	" 8.39	" 3.9	" 5.19
" 11.10	63	SUMMIT SIDING	15	" 9.14	" 3.38	" 4.50
" 10.55	60	SHAWNIGAN LE	18	" 9.33	" 4.04	" 4.24
" 10.41	57	COBBLE HILL	21	" 9.44	" 4.14	" 4.14
" 10.27	53	McKERSON'S	25	" 9.57	" 4.27	" 3.59
" 10.12	49	DUNCAN'S	29	" 10.07	" 4.37	" 3.49
" 10.02	45	SOMENOS	33	" 10.22	" 4.51	" 3.34
" 9.36	42	CHEMAINUS	36	" 10.45	" 5.16	" 3.12
" 9.15	29	OYSTER BAY SG	49	" 11.00	" 5.33	" 2.55
De 8.24	19	NANAIMO	59	Arr 1.55		" 2.14
Ar 8.2	5	WELLINGTON	73	Dep 1.15	" 6.14	De 1.39 P M
De 8.10 A M			78	Ar 1.1 P M	Ar 6.29	

On Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays

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AMENDED NOTICE.

TABLE

Showing the Dates and Places of Courts of Assize, Nisi Prius, and Oyer and Terminer, for the Year 1892.

SPRING ASSIZES.

(On Vancouver Island.)

Victoria.....Monday.....16th May
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....7th June

(On Mainland)

New Westminster..Wednesday.....1st June
Kamloops.....Monday.....6th June
Clinton.....Monday.....13th June

FALL ASSIZE.

(On Mainland.)

Richfield.....Monday.....12th Sept
Clinton.....Wednesday.....28th Sept
Kamloops.....Monday.....3rd Oct
Lytton.....Monday.....10th Oct
New Westminster...Wednesday.....9th Nov

(On Vanoouver Island.

Victoria.....Monday.....28th Nov
Nanaimo.....Tuesday.....6th Dec

SALE OF LAND.

Mr. George Byrnes will offer for sale by Public Auction, at his auction room in Victoria, on

Friday, the 21st Day of October

Next at 12 noon, in two lots, and subject to such conditions of sale as will then be read, the following lands, viz.:

1st, Section forty-nine (49), Sooke District, containing 37 acres, more or less.

2nd. Section seventeen (17), Sooke District, containing 148 acres, more or less.

Section 17 fronts on the Straits of Fuca, is good land, no rocks; not heavily timbered, and most of it can be easily cleared.

Section 49 fronts on the Sooke River, is good land and timbered. A road has this summer been made through this land, and adjoining lands thereto have recently been sold at good prices.

Mr. John Muir, of Sooke, will show the lands to anyone desiring to see them.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, or to Mr. C. E. Pooley, 47 Langley street, Victoria, Vendor's Solicitor. se16-d&w

AUCTION SALES TO BE HELD.

Oct. 5—Land Sale, Newcastle District. G. Byrnes.
Oct. 14—Victoria Driving Park. W. R. Clarke.
No date—Real Estate in Spring Ridge; also consignment of Ready made Clothing, etc. Johnson & Co.
Oct. 18—McNeil Estate (14 lots). J. Davies.

THE CITY.

An American Cruiser.

A U. S. Government steamer, said to be from Alaska, dropped anchor about a quarter mile off the outer wharf, last evening.

Should be Made to Clean Up.

Dr. Watt, city health officer, has renewed his recommendation to the City Council that the provisions of the health by-law be enforced.

The Theft of a Railway Bicycle.

Allan Stewart, charged with the theft of a railway velocipede from the E. & N. Railway company, was taken to Nanaimo yesterday.

Fruit Trees for Sale.

H. M. Cowper, of James Bay, is about to clear a plot of land for building, and advertises the fruit trees, now growing on the lots, for sale cheap.

Port Orchard Dry Dock.

Byram, Barlow & Co., of Tacoma, one member of which firm is now in Victoria, have been awarded the contract for the Port Orchard dry dock. The figures are close to $491, 600.

Divisional Court.

A sitting of the Divisional Court will probably be held some time this week. There are a number of appeals to be heard, amongst them being —— v. Giles, and Culverwell v. Moss.

Quick Dispatch.

Messrs. Turner, Beeton & Co. received a cable yesterday, informing them that the "Americana," which commenced loading for them in Liverpool for this port ten days ago, was full and ready to sail.

An Entertainment at St. Luke's.

On Monday evening, at 8 o'clock, an entertainment will be given in the school room of St. Luke's church, Cedar Hill Road, when a first class programme will be presented. There will be a free bus from the post office at 7 o'clock. A good attendance is hoped for.

A Handsome Souvenir.

The Weekly Empire is sending to its subscribers as a supplement, a souvenir lithograph of photos of the Conservative members of the House of Commons. The picture is a handsome one, about 3 feet 9 inches long by 2 feet 6 deep, and is well worth the heavy frame it requires.

The Quarterly Meeting.

The quarterly general meeting of the B. C. Board of Trade, which will be held on Friday next, will witness the discussion of a large number of very important topics. Among other things, the Board will be asked to move the United States Government to have the mails conveyed by the N.P.R. line of steamers between Victoria and the Orient.

They Appreciate His Assistance.

The engagement of Mr. Trendell, clarionet soloist, and bandmaster of the Vancouver City Band, was highly appreciated by the members of the Victoria City Band. Mr. Trendell is an exceedingly fine instrumentalist. The performances of the City Band during the week were meritorious, and Mr. Finn, bandmaster, is to be congratulated on the efficiency of his organization.

Set for Wednesday.

Now that the vacation is over the court house will be the scene of more than customary activity for some time. One of the cases down for hearing next week is that of the C. P. R. v. Bouchard & Bennett, which will be heard on Wednesday before a judge and special jury. Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken appear for the plaintiffs, Messrs. Belyea & Gregory for defendants.

Concert at the Gorge Road Church.

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Centennial Gorge Road Methodist Church are making preparations for the reception of a large audience at their concert on Wednesday evening next. Some of the best local talent have offered their assistance in carrying out the programme, and everything gives promise at present of the concert being a complete success.

Mock Parliament Organized.

A meeting of the Mock Parliament was held last evening in the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association. After considerable debate a government was formed, composed of a coalition of the Conservative and Independent members, under Mr. Sutherland, who announced that the address in reply would be read and the portfolios announced at the next meeting of the House, next Saturday.

Inland Revenue Returns.

The following statistics show the Inland Revenue returns for the month of September:

Spirits	7,378 43
Malt	3,862 20
Tobacco	2,528 50
Cigars	902 70
Bonded Warehouse License	20 00
Petroleum Inspection	341 00
Rent of Government land	12 00
Malt Liquor	148 20
Total	$15,193 03

The Coquitlam.

The steamer Coquitlam came into dock yesterday and commenced the discharging of her cargo—skins which had been taken on board before her seizure by the Americans. Her owners have put up bonds, as have also the Sealers' Association, and the vessel being released by the Sitka authorities, is now discharging her cago. Until Lawyer Hastings comes back from the North nothing can be known as to the date for hearing the case.

The Kuper Island School.

Among the multitude of exhibits at the show just ended, perhaps none were really more noteworthy than were the articles contributed by the pupils of the Kuper Island Industrial school. These embraced many little evidences of the practical education that is given at this now famous school, 12 pair of stockings knit by 12 little Indian girls, serving to illustrate how thorough is the training given in the domestic arts. The exhibitors ranged in age from 7 to 12 years, little Miss Madeline, who has only seen seven summers, being fortunate in winning the second prize, to which the excellence of her work fully entitled her. Exercise books, five in number, and copy books, of which there are 10 in all, show what expert "penmen" the Kuper Island boys and girls are. The copies were not written to order, but taken haphazard from the desks, while a few extra sample are equal to copper plate. The Kuper Island exhibits are not eligible for any prize, but those who have seen and admired the work think that the directors might strain a point and award one. It was intended to have had the band from the school during the show but in some manner the transportation miscarried, much to the disappointment of all. The band will play at the Duncan's exhibition next Saturday.

Further Awards.

A silver medal was awarded to J. H. Todd for his display of preserved salmon in tins, and a gold medal to Weiler Bros. for the best display of home manufactured furniture.

Defrauding the Customs.

Inspector Clute, of H. M's Customs, has returned from a trip up the country, and has been successful in unravelling a mystery which for a long time has puzzled the officials. It has for some months been suspected that goods have been imported into Canadian territory from over the border on which no duty has been paid. This is particularly so with regard to shipments from Spokane, and Mr. Clute has discovered that the custom on the Canadian side is to duplicate papers and get in stuff from the States which has never paid duty. His seizures have been on a very extensive scale, but the full details cannot be known until Mr. Clute sends in his report.

Atonement Services.

The day of Atonement services were celebrated in the Temple Emanu El on Friday and yesterday. The services commenced at 6:30 p.m. on Friday with several hymns by the choir. This was followed by a lecture delivered by Rabbi Philo on the subject "If I do not act for myself who can do it for me?" taken from the Talmud. Individual responsibility and the hopelessness of man endeavoring to stand by his own strength alone was shown in an eloquent manner. The services continued yesterday at 7 a.m. Singing by the choir was followed by a memorial service, after which a lecture on "With the Lord is forgiveness that we should fear Thee." A large number attended all the services which were interesting and impressive in the extreme.

Provincial Public Buildings.

It will interest the public to learn that in response to the advertisement of the Hon. Chief Commissioner asking for competitive designs for the new Government buildings, to be erected on the site of the present ones, some 60 plans have been submitted. They come from Canada, England and the United States, and local architects, are well represented.

Two non-competing architects with the Lands and Works Department, will examine these designs all carefully and select the five considered to possess the greatest merit for beauty and convenience. These two gentlemen will be carefully chosen, so the public can rest assured that a very handsome structure will be erected. After the best five have been selected the parties submitting them will be requested to finish them in detail, when the best design will be adopted and the buildings erected. Several years will be occupied in their construction.

Some weeks must elapse before the selection of the five best can be pronounced upon, and possibly three months further will be required to elaborate these and agree upon the best. It may be confidently expected that construction upon one of the buildings, for which the sum of $75,000 was voted by the Legislature last session, will commence in the early spring. The land required upon Birdcage Walk has already been expropriated by the Government.

Laid at Rest.

The remains of the late Thos. McConnan were yesterday interred at Ross Bay Cemetery. A large concourse of surrowing friends assembled at the house of mourning and took a farewell look at all that was mortal of one whom they had learned to respect during a long and useful career. The casket was completely covered with the floral gifts with which the room was filled. After a short service in the house, conducted by Rev. P. McF. Macleod, the funeral *cortege* was formed and marched in solemn procession to St. Andrew's church, where the reverend gentleman again officiated. He spoke very earnestly and feelingly of the lamented death of Mr. McConnan, and said that during a long life here and in Newfoundland, the Christian character of deceased had been above reproach. Those most intimate with him had never known him to do an unchristian act. A man's life and not the particular manner of his death was what would be considered in the long hereafter. He felt it his duty, both for himself and on behalf of the trustees of the church, and as an act of justice to the deceased and his family, to say that there was not a particle of truth in the rumor as to his being in default to the church. The books had been carefully looked into and everything found right. But his colleagues had noticed of late that the memory of their departed brother was failing him, and that he was breaking down; and although he was always willing to do more than his fair proportion of Christian work, it was thought advisable to lighten his burden and place some of his work on younger shoulders. He might have misunderstood this kind intent. The reverend gentleman's opinion, and that of the dearest friends of the deceased, was that his mind was unbalanced for the time being, and that in moments of despair he had committed the rash act which deprived him of his life and society of a very worthy member.

The pall bearers were Senator McInnes, H. F. Heisterman, School Trustees J. B. Lovell and Hy Saunders, R. B. McMicking and J. Finlayson. The members of Vancouver Quadra Lodge A. F. & A. M. No. 2, of which the deceased was a member, attended in a body, and at the grave W. M. I. E. Phillips read the beautiful masonic service in a most impressive manner.

What folly! To be without BEECHAM'S PILLS.

First of the Season.

The masquerade ball to be given in the Omineca Hall, Oriental Alley, on Tuesday evening, by Mr. C. McDonald, will be the first of the season. Refreshments will be served, good music on hand, and every effort will be made to see that every one has a good time.

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GENTLEMEN,—I suffered for three days very severely from summer complaint and could not get relief but kept getting worse and worse till the pain was almost unbearable and I became very weak. Some friends advised Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and after I had taken the first dose I found much relief, and it did not fail to cure me. I do not intend to be without this valuable medicine if I can help it.
WM. T. GLYNN, Wilfred, Ont.

SISTER SOCIETIES.

A Quiet Week in the Local Lodges—The Masonic Lodge of Sorrow.

I. O. O. F. Notes—A New Lodge A. O. U. W. Instituted at Kamloops Last Week.

The week past has been a very quiet one in secret society circles. The regular weekly meetings of the various lodges were held, but little outside of routine business was transacted. Of the coming events one of the most interesting is the masonic meeting to-day.

At 2:30 p.m., the brethren of the local lodges A. F. and A. M., with their lady friends, will assemble at the Masonic Temple to pay a well deserved tribute to the memory of four very popular members of the craft who have passed away within the past few months, to await the sound of the trump which will call the brethren to order in the Grand Lodge above. The deceased brethren were earnest Masons and most popular members of the society. The lodge room has been specially fitted up for the occasion, and a large attendance is expected.

The funeral of the late T. McConnan was held yesterday. A large number of the Masonic fraternity, of which the deceased was a member, turned out to pay a last tribute of respect to the departed brother.

The promised candidate failed to materialize at the meeting of Columbia lodge, No. 2, I.O.O.F., last Wednesday evening; consequently, there was no initiation. This was, no doubt, something of a disappointment to the large number of members and visitors present; but after the regular business had been disposed of, the team proceeded to further practise the new work, and are now prepared to give the "razzle dazzle" in the latest and most approved style. Next Wednesday evening begins the winter term, and the lodge will therefore assemble at 7:30. There will be work in the military and first degrees. The team will meet for practice half an hour earlier—7 o'clock.

Acme Lodge, No. 14, I.O.O.F., gave a grand exhibition of their new team work last Friday night to a full lodge of members. Next meeting night the Degree Team will practise the new floor work in the first degree for the first time. Acme meets every Friday evening. Visiting brothers welcome.

Grand Master Leiser, of the A.O.U.W., reports the institution of a new lodge of the order at Kamloops. This will be known as the Inland Lodge, No. 15. The charter membership was 36. The new lodge starts under the most favorable auspices. The first officers elected were: W. H. Whittaker, P.M.W.; J. J. Tunstall, M.W.; M. H. Harrison, F.; J. Kontze, C.; F. H. Nelson, G.; M. J. McIvor, R.; M. T. Slavin, F.; M. Goguetto, Receiver; H. Duhamel, J.W.; M. Pickering, O.W.

Those Indian Costumes.

Robert Smith, an old resident of this city, who for many years has been in the service of the Peninsular and Oriental Co., is the maker of the East Indian costumes recently worn by the Salvation Army.

An Investigation.

Capt. Gaudin has received instructions to enquire into the circumstances attending the drowning of Mrs. Pope and her child, while attempting to board the steamer Rithet, off Plumper's Pass, a couple of months ago. The captain is busy compiling a list of witnesses whose testimony he considers important, and the investigation will probably commence early this week.

A Dangerous Spot.

The crossing over Wharf street, at the foot of Johnson, is in a bad state. Recent rains have caused the surface to cave in, and the stones which are supposed to give a clean passage way from one side of the thoroughfare to the other have fallen in for a couple of feet, over where the sewer pipes were laid. The crossing is at present as dangerous to pedestrians as it is to vehicles.

Excellent Bill of Fare.

To-day's dinner at The Victoria will be given from the following bill of fare:

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Mock Turtle. Consomme Colbert
FISH.
Boiled Salmon, Sauce Genevoise.
Fresh Cod a la Normandie. Potatoes Dauphine.
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ENTREES.
Filet of Beef, Larded a la Godard,
Fricasee of Chicken a la Francaise
Farina Cake Glace with Raisins.
ROAST.
Ribs of Beef. Mallard Duck and Jelly.
VEGETABLES.
Boiled and Mashed Potatoes. Green Corn,
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OUR CABLE LETTER.

THE "ARMY" IN HOLLAND.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—General Booth, of the Salvation Army, has bought the old house in Holland, which, over two centuries ago, was occupied by Admiral DeRuyter, who figured in the great contest for naval supremacy between Great Britain and the Dutch. General Booth proposes to use the house as a barracks for the Salvation Army.

VARIED EXPERIENCES.

Horace Bottomley, accused, along with Sir Henry Isaacs, ex-Lord Mayor of London, and Mr. Joseph Isaacs, of fraudulent operations in connection with the Hansard Publishing Company, is publishing his life in chapters. He says he has been three years in the practice of law, three years in journalism, four years in finance, one year in the Mansion House, and for four years a parliamentarian.

THE PALL MALL GAZETTE.

Mr. Lowenfeld, proprietor of Kop's Ale, is said to be the real purchaser of the Pall Mall Gazette, Dave Keighley acting for Mr. Lowenfeld in the purchase. Lowenfeld, who is very wealthy, is understood to be the backer of Horace Sedger in his theatrical enterprises. It is not known whether the Pall Mall Gazette will or will not change its political tone on account of its new ownership.

A Journalist Sentenced.

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—Herr Saling, of the Klosnen Journal, has been sentenced to imprisonment for four months, on a charge of libelling the wife of a military officer, at Breslau.

The French Strike Over.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—The strikers at Carmaux have decided to come to terms with the company.

The Great Military Race.

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—Despite the earliness of the hour of starting hundreds of army officers gathered this morning at the little customs office near the entrance of the temple of the parade grounds to see the send-off of the German competitors in the long distance officers' race between Berlin and Vienna. Originally 132 German officers entered for the race. Ninety presented themselves for the start. An honorary prize will be given by the Emperor Franz Joseph to the first German rider arriving in Vienna, and the first Austrian rider arriving in Berlin will be similarly distinguished. The horse covering the distance in the shortest time will receive 20,000 marks; the second, 10,000; third, 6,000; fourth, 4,500; fifth, 3,500; and sixth, 1,500.

CABLEGRAMS CONDENSED.

Eighty-five fresh cases of cholera are reported at Hamburg, only 899 people being under treatment in the hospitals.

The British Conservatives promise to make it hot for the Government on the Uganda question.

Kaiser Wilhelm's ear is again a source of trouble to him, and he is to undergo another operation.

Scrofula in the Neck
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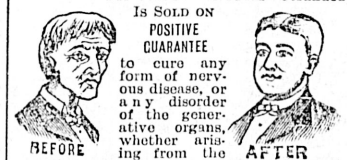
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MEETINGS.

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CABLE AND WIRE.

The So-Called Cholera Remedies Worthless—Quarantine by Colombia on United States Vessels.

England to Admit Live Cattle From the United States—Belgium on the Nile.

The Gold Cure on Elephants.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—A very curious action at law is shortly to be heard in the courts here. A lady visiting the zoological gardens and sitting down before the elephant stable laid a brown leather purse containing six sovereigns on her lap. One of the elephants, being minded to try the "gold cure," or mistaking it for a bun, extended his trunk and picked up the purse and swallowed it. The strongest emetics were administered, but they had no effect. The elephant would not give up the gold, and the Zoological society likewise refused to refund it, for which reason the lady has entered the action.

New Zealand Not at the World's Fair.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—T. J. Creighton, correspondent and resident agent of the New Zealand Government in this city, has received private advices from Auckland to the effect that New Zealand, as a colony or government, will not be represented at the Chicago exposition. In other words, there will be no official exhibit made there, though Mr. Creighton states that private individuals will undoubtedly take pleasure in seeing that their individual industries are represented, and he thinks that this will be true to such an extent that the aggregate result will be quite respectable.

So-Called Remedies Worthless.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—Prof. Rumpf, of Eppendorfer hospital, Hamburg, has reported his experience in the treatment of 3,000 cholera patients and declares all the vaunted remedies useless, including salol, cresol, creosote, lactic acid and hydrochloloric acid. Injected sulphuric acid and morphia, as suggested by American doctors, he also found of no avail, but in mild cases an injection of tannin was successful. Prof. Rumpf concludes that all methods aiming merely at disinfection of the intestines fail; that remedies must be sought which remove choleraic bacilli from the intestines. He mentions hot baths, hot coffee, tea, wine, champagne and camphor as useful in critical cases, and adds that an injection of a solution of common salt cured 20 per cent. of the cases. Prof. Klobs, of Zurich, who has been treating patients in Hamburg with injections of fluid obtained through the culture of cholera bacillus, states that after the injection of the fluid the temperature of the patient soon becomes normal, and several apparently hopeless cases have recovered under this treatment.

Typhus on Board Ship.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 1.—Three cases of typhus among the crew of the British steamship Turkenheim, which arrived at Delware breakwater yesterday, were reported yesterday. The vessel had a cargo of sugar from Havana, and sailed for New York this evening.

French Defeated by Dahomeyans.

PARIS, Oct. 1.—A dispatch from Porto Novo says that while the French gunboats Capale and Corail were ascending the river Quome at Tanque, September 28, they were attacked by Dahomeyans, who were repulsed with heavy loss, the ground being strewn with dead bodies. One Frenchman was killed and thirteen wounded.

Colombia's Quarantine on U. S. Vessels.

PANAMA (via Galveston), Sept. 30.—The United States gunboat Concord will sail tonay from Colon to Cartagena, carrying United States Consul Adamson of Panama on a special mission from the American Government to President Nunez of Colombia, relative to the quarantine imposed upon American vessels at Colombian ports. The American consul general is accompanied by Don Ricardo Arango, administrator of the treasury and special commissioner of the local government of Panama, who will confer with President Nunez in regard to the situation at the isthmus. Sixty more Colombian soldiers were sent to Colon to-day, as an additional measure of precaution against the violation of quarantine by foreign vessels, and it is apprehended that there may be trouble at Colon on account of the aggressive attitude of Colombia.

Extra Session of Chilean Congress.

VALPARAISO, Oct. 1.—President Montt, of Chili, has called an extra session of Congress for consideration of the French-Chilean treaty, colonization, sales of nitrate, estimates for 1893, to establish a money standard and arrange for a sufficient volume of currency, to consider a proposition for increase of pay for the army and navy, and to reorganize the civil service.

Belgium on the Nile.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The appearance of the Belgian expedition on the Upper Nile within the British sphere of influence has led the English foreign office to intimate that Belgium must withdraw her expedition. King Leopold, however, is using personal influence with the British court and managers of the East African companies to induce Lord Rosebery to consent to the absorption of a part of the Nile country into the Kongo state.

Pleuro-Pneumonia.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—Secretary Rusk's proclamation declaring the United States free from pleuro-pneumonia has not yet officially reached the board of agriculture here. The board officials, however, accept the declaration as valid, and appear ready to respond to the United States authorities' application for free admission for live cattle. The Live Stock Journal, referring to the vast importance of the proclamation, holds that the Government must allow a sufficient interval to elapse, in order to prove beyond a doubt that the disease is wholly suppressed, and that this provision should have been made against Texas fever, of which 500 cases were detected in 1891 among animals intended for export.

Political Fights in Prussia.

BERLIN, Sept. 30.—The antagonism between independent and the regular Social Democrats of Trepton, Prussia, culminated last night in a free fight. At an in-door meeting, the regulars had planned to protect their meeting from the independents by issuing admission tickets, only to approved members of their own organization. The independents forged some 200 tickets, however, and by means of them packed the meeting with as many of their men. The regulars who tried to speak were howled down, and the 200 independents stormed the platform. The speakers attempted to beat them back with chairs, and a hand-to-hand combat followed. A dozen men were stretched on the floor, and many others withdrew, bleeding and bruised. The police dispersed the "Comrades" after having made five arrests.

Royalty in a Beer-Garden.

BERLIN, Sept. 30. — Princess Eveline Jackson de Wsevolowk, who claims descent from an illustrious family and is reputed to be married to an American, has been sentenced to 13 months in prison for obtaining under false pretences a situation as singer in the Sternecker garden, Berlin.

Almost Blown Up.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—The U. S. S. Philadelphia arrived yesterday, and it has been learned that a recent accident during a sham battle at Baltimore came near blowing up the ship, when a cartridge was exploded before the breech of the gun was closed. A chute leading to the magazine was open and particles of the ignited powder bag went down into the magazine. Lieut. Fremont, who was in charge of the powder division, did all he could to suppress disorder, but all but two men fled from him. With the aid of these two he succeeded in extinguishing the fire before it reached the case of projectiles.

Another Charley Ross Case.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 30.—A case very similar to the famous Charley Ross abduction case, is reported from Montgomery county. Sheriff Beck received word yesterday, from Sheriff Liddel, of Montgomery county, to look out for John Murphy and George Thomas, two tramps, who are wanted for abducting Joseph Dalyer, a 12-year-old boy of Fonda. The message says the boy was enticed away by tramps, a short distance from his home, and is probably being held for ransom. The tramps who abducted him are notorious characters in Montgomery county. Murphy is 45 and known all over Western New York as Marie Ford, that name being tattooed on his arm. His companion is younger and is a notorious farmhouse and barn sneak.

Chinese Actors Contraband.

WASHINGTON CITY, Sept. 30.—Acting Secretary Spaulding has declined to permit 200 Chinese actors to enter this country for the purpose of presenting Chinese plays in a theatre to be erected near the entrance of the World's Fair in Chicago. In doing so he says: The enterprise described appears to be purely a commercial one, and has no official connection with the World's Columbian Exposition. The law would exclude such persons, unless they present at the time of their landing certificates from the Chinese Government identifying them as persons entitled to enter the United States in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the act of May 6, 1882, as amended by the act approved July 5, 1884.

Heavy Engine.

OMAHA, Oct. 1.—The heaviest eight-wheel passenger engine in America was sent out of the Union Pacific shops to pull the fast mail. With tender coaled up, the engine weighs 218,000 pounds. It will run between Cheyenne and Laramie, over the Continental division, where a grade of 95 feet to the mile has to be surmounted.

An American Exploress.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—Mrs. French Sheldon, the American woman known as an explorer of Africa, will sail for New York on the Urania on Saturday.

A Trainman's Revenge.

BERLIN, Oct. 1.—Albert Rouman Gebert, a switchman at Hermsdorf on the Berlin and Stetteni Railway, has been sentenced to five years imprisonment, having derailed a passenger train. His purpose was to injure a superior railway official, who had offended him and was on the train.

Big Embezzlements.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 1.—An audit of the accounts of the late Grand Duke Michael Nikolavitch has revealed embezzlements by various officials to the amount of one million roubles, the embezzlements dating back to the period of the death of the Grand Duke's wife, in April 1891.

Heavy Suit Against an Uncle.

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—W. S. Hurley sues his uncle, William Niles, for $250,000. The action has grown out of the alleged forgery to a contract of the name of Hurley's father, now dead. Niles was formerly the head of the Sixpenny Saving's Bank.

Russian Mail Train Robbed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 1.—The mail train from Cuarkoff to Nikoljewn was stopped by robbers, near Krowa, and plundered of half a million roubles in money and a large quantity of valuable luggage, letters, etc., that were being conveyed by the mail. There is no trace of the robbers, and it is suspected that the railway officials have something to do with the affair.

For the Pilots' Benefit.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Sept. 30.—The Pilots' Association of New York has won a victory, as the following order shows: Navy Department, Washington, D.C., Sept. 27, 1892. All existing orders and regulations restricting the employment of pilots by commanding officers of vessels of war are hereby revoked. Commanding officers will employ pilots whenever, in their judgment, their employment is necessary. (Signed) B. F. Tracy, Secretary of the Navy. This will be cheerful news to pilots in all maritime cities and especially in New York and the East, where naval vessels are constantly moving in and out of dangerous places. It means considerable additional expense for them. Naval officers will also be pleased with the secretary's new order; they are now permitted to use their own judgment as to occasions when pilots are necessary. While personally it may induce some commanders to navigate their own ships in and out of dangerous harbors, the majority will doubtless be only too glad to escape the responsibility for accidents which are liable to happen even with expert pilots aboard.

Hail Storm in St. Paul.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 1.—A terrible hail storm is prevailing here this afternoon. All street traffic is suspended and considerable damage has been done to windows. The ground is covered with large hail-stones. The fall is the heaviest in many years.

French Artist Dead.

LONDON, Oct 1.—The announcement is made of the death of Sebastian Charles Giraud, the French painter, in his 74th year.

AFFAIRS IN HAWAII.

How the Situation Is Regarded by the American Authorities.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 1.—The situation of affairs in the Hawaiian islands continues to receive the constant attention of the officials of the department of state. To inquiries as to the political situation in the dominion of her majesty, Queen Lilioukalina, the reply is made that it is regarded as unsettled. Further than this they say they do not care to express an opinion, and this despite the fact that on the 13th inst. the new ministry was inducted to office. The change of governments was accomplished without demonstration of any kind, but the feeling prevails that there is no confidence in the ministry and any change would create no surprise. The department is under more or less influence to bring about even closer relations between the United States and Hawaii than have ever been obtained. Annexation is openly urged, the argument being made that the islands need the support of a strong government, which would restore the commercial credit of the country, give assistance to the producers and consequent development to the resources of the islands.

In addition to sugar, rice is cultivated, tea can be raised in abundance and the coffee is of the finest quality. All that is needed is some money and an effort to improve the lands and cheap labor to work them. England could easily supply these from her surplus capital and her coolie colonies. Negotiations are now pending for the establishment of a line of steamers from Victoria to Australia, stopping at Honolulu, which, when established, it is threatened, will drive the American lines off the route. Nearly nine-tenths of the foreign population are Americans, most of the trade is with the United States, and the entire interests of the islands are American, so much so that even the German and most of the English settlers join the Americans, who, with the natives, are possessed of a desire to become annexed to the United States."

It is not probable that the United States will depart from its historic policy and assume any other attitude towards the islands than the one always held. It is interesting to note in this connection that the Under Minister of Foreign Affairs at Honolulu was formerly a clerk in the Department of State in this City. Inasmuch as the correspondence avers that the tender of the proposed treaty came from the United States, and as it is shown that the Hawaiian officials heartily approve of it, the further statement that while the treaty has not yet been executed, "more encouraging reports of the progress of negotiations are expected at an early day" is not strange.

ORIENTAL DISASTERS.

Further Details of the Gales and Typhoons—Terrible Loss of Life.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 30.—The Pacific Mail Company's new steamship Peru arrived this morning, 22 days from Hongkong, via Yokohama. She brings Japanese news up to September 16.

The gale which swept over Southern and Central Japan last month, inflicting such terrible damage in Tokushima prefecture, also devastated the Rinkin Islands. A report from Okinawa gives the following figures: Four hundred persons were crushed to death; missing, 24; boats blown out to sea, 23; houses completely overthrown, 1,500; partially overthrown, 1,100; outhouses blown down and injured, 2,000; trees blown down, 35,000. Crops were also greatly injured, and the above figures do not include the devastation wrought on the smaller islands.

A typhoon on September 4, did much damage in Zhizouka, Aichi and Gumma prefectures. At Hamamatsu the court house, school, 62 dwellings and a brick railway shed were blown down, and 10 persons killed and many wounded. In Shizuoka prefecture, 800 dwelling houses were blown down or partially destroyed. Six bridges were washed away and 71 stores destroyed. In Aidu prefecture five people were killed and two wounded, reclaimed lands flooded and 70 dwellings washed away. Great damage was done in other parts of the province also. In Gumma prefecture the same story of devastation is told, houses being destroyed and eight people injured.

During a festival at Morn, near Kobe, a terrible accident occurred. The temple is approached by a flight of 250 steps, very steep. While a dense crowd were ascending the steps a man at the top slipped, and in his fall brought down 30 people. Five were killed outright and others terribly injured.

The great typhoon also reached the island of Manila. The Spanish consul at Hongkong has received dispatches from Manila stating that the typhoon did great damage. People are suffering all over the island.

IRISH EVICTIONS.

A Bitter Land War Threatened if the Landlords Carry Out Their Policy.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The question of affording relief to evicted Irish tenants occupied the attention of the Cabinet yesterday, and to-day Morley is understood to have advised a temporary grant of money, on the ground that the commission cannot complete the inquiry in time to prepare a bill for the opening of Parliament, and while the commission is deliberating the evicted tenants suffer. The Irish Evicted Tenants' Association asks, in the interim, a grant of £250,000, with due representation on the commission. It is learned that the Ministers are inclined to concede a moiety of the evicted tenants' demands, but refuse immediate sanction of any portion of the proposed grant. The gravity of the eviction troubles becomes more serious under the action of the Tory landlords. The number of evicted tenants now reaches 4,500. The total of eviction notices pending under the act of 1087 has reached almost 30,000. If the landlords mean to try to defeat the Liberal policy by wholesale evictions there will be a bitter land war. The Ministerial circle is confident the Cabinet will not hesitate to sanction the boldest measure the Irish executive may require to foil the Unionist tactics.

VILLARD NOT SELLING N.P. STOCK.

The New York Recorder says: A dispatch from Philadelphia, yesterday, reported the appearance there of two certificates for 100 shares each of Northern Pacific preferred stock, made out in the name of H. Villard, with signature of H. Villard on the back. One was dated September 8, 1892, and the other September 13, 1892. When the dispatch was shown to Mr. Villard, he said: "I have not sold a share of Northern Pacific stock for myself for two years past. As to the London cable to the effect that the Northern Pacific company intends to issue a block of bonds, you may say that the company has not sold a consolidated 5 per cent. bond for a year past, and there is no intention to sell any at present. Reports of negotiations for the sale of Northern Pacific bonds are untrue. The company at present has no occasion to sell bonds." Brokers had the story that a block of about 10,000 shares of Northern Pacific preferred was borrowed the other day, and that the borrower had been a conspicuous seller ever since. From this it was argued that the stock had been borrowed simply to be thrown upon the market as a lever in depressing the stock.

THE CHOLERA.

(Saturday Review, Sept. 3.)

The outbreak of cholera at Hamburg is evidently of a serious nature, and, if accounts of the condition of that port are not grossly exaggerated, it is not surprising that English ports, many of which are in regular, and almost daily, communication with Hamburg, have not entirely escaped. According to some medical authorities, it was inevitable in the circumstances that cases should be imported. The few authentic cases recorded so far at Gravesend, Liverpool, Islington, Grimsby, Middlesboro', with the doubtful ones at Falmouth and Islington, have been proved to have originated in Hamburg. At Gravesend and Liverpool the sufferers were of the more or less destitute emigrant class. The Islington cases referred to are passengers who were taking holidays, passing through Hamburg on their homeward way to Harwich. So far there has been no sign of epidemic resulting from these cases, and there is no ground, according to all competent judges, to fear anything of the kind. The alarm expressed in some quarters lest hordes of Polish or Russian emigrants from the infected port should carry contagion through the land may be dismissed as groundless. There has been something of a cry for a decree prohibiting the landing of these unfortunates. It is satisfactory, however, to observe that railway and steamship companies have not waited for any such enactment to enforce what is their plan of duty, and, it must be added, their most obvious interest. They have instructed their agents to refuse passage to the dirty and suspect alien emigrants. In London, at least, the emigration has been stopped merely by the enforcement of the legal powers vested in the Port Sanitary authorities. Moreover, it is perfectly clear from some of the cases that the average passenger from Hamburg, or any centre of infection, is no more "immune" than the Russian emigrant. Dr. Lyon's letter on this subject should reassure the timid. It is only fair to consider that while the Gemma, crowded with emigrants, yielded some three or four cases at Gravesend, the ordinary passenger-boat suffered to a like extent at Harwich. The vigilance and activity shown by the Port authorities in isolating cases and inspecting vessels on arrival are most commendable, and ought to be most reassuring to the public. The new order of the Local Government Board empowering the sanitary authorities of ports to deal with the drinking-water carried by ships, and discharge it, if suspected, into the river before docks are entered, is a reasonable measure, though strict attention to purity and cleanliness in this matter at Hamburg and other infected ports is even more important. Then it is well, considering that cholera is chiefly propagated through drinking-water, that the London Water Companies should be directed to perfect their filtration methods, and ensure the utmost possible freedom from organic pollution.

There is always much causeless apprehension when there is the slightest appearance of a visitation of cholera, and it is a pity that its gratuitous stimulation should not be promptly dealt with. It is monstrous, for example, that purveyors of "news" to the evening journals should give currency to baseless rumors of the most alarming kind. Thus we have announced in the largest type, "Outbreak at Dover," "Cholera scare at Gravesend," and the like, of an evening, only to be completely disproved the following morning by the mayor of the one town and the town clerk of the other. There is far too much of this kind of liberty of the press. Any one, not careful of the latter, might imagine from the alarmist paragraphs concerning the scarlet fever epidemic in London that something of a plague was in progress, whereas for many successive weeks the health of London has been exceptionally good. News-making of this kind is almost as bad as the scandalous concealment of the truth about the cholera, for something like three weeks, by the authorities of Hamburg, who seem to have hoodwinked all the consuls there resident. That the German Emperor should, as is reported, have expressed great indignation at this hushing-up policy is extremely natural. The occasion seems to warrant the making of an example in high places. From the published accounts of the condition of the Hamburg hospitals which a Vienna doctor has written, it seems that the authorities were totally unprepared for an outbreak of cholera, though the steady westward course of the disease from Cashmere, Persia, and the ports of the Caspian Sea has been patent to all observers for three months past. There never was a more forcible illustration of the truth that forwarned should imply forearmed. Yet the truth about Hamburg was first made known to the Imperial Government by the authorities of Altona, and in Hamburg the stupid policy of concealment, now no longer possible, has been followed by complete disorganization of the sanitary administration. With the system of inspection and disinfection, and the isolation of cases detected, thoroughly carried out by our Port Sanitary officials, it is reasonable to expect that we shall escape the visitation in England although London has been declared an infected port by Christiana, which is, to say the least, a little premature on the part of the Norwegian authorities. Owing to our proximity to the Continent, there is certainly some risk, which the keenest vigilance may not be able to render inoperative. Cases of cholera on shipboard are, of course, properly dealt with, as at Gravesend, and isolated in hospital. But, owing to the short distance between English ports and Hamburg, Antwerp, Havre, and other stricken places, there may be a clean bill of health on a steamer from one of these ports on arrival, and cases of cholera may yet develop among the passengers after landing. As illustrations of this danger we have cases such as that of the Middlesboro' man, who, after landing, was reported as taken ill on arriving at Glasgow. Fortunately, the Sanitary authorities throughout the country are alert toward all such contingencies, and, with the great and general improvement in the sanitary condition, and the thorough enforcement of the law, there seems no probability of an epidemic.

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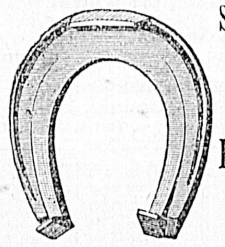
NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of "An Act respecting certain works constructed in or upon Navigable waters" Cap. 92, of the Revised Statutes of Canada, that I, the undersigned, shall, 30 days after date, apply to the Governor-General of Canada in Council for his approval of a certain wharf proposed to be constructed by me in Victoria Harbour fronting Lot 16 Block L Harbour Estate in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that I have deposited plans thereof, and a description of the proposed site with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate of each in the office of the Registrar-General of Titles at Victoria aforesaid. Dated the 7th day of September, 1892. Rowland Wm. Colvin, by his solicitor, Lindley Crease. se8



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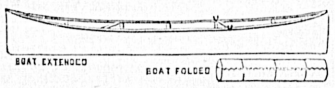

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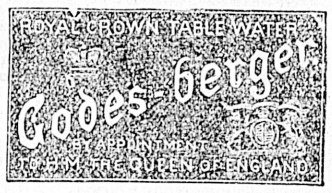

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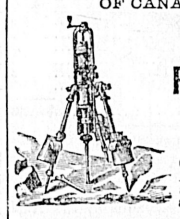

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We were introduced to the audience by Captain Jack Scott, who paid us a beautiful and touching tribute. Tears sprang unbidden to our eyes as we listened to his story of our hardships and our determination to conquer or die. He compared us to Washington at Valley Forge, and the mighty cheer that arose from the audience could have been heard three miles

THREE BULLETS PASSED THROUGH OUR HAT.

away. He spoke of our private graveyard, and the hiss of displeasure started by our narrow minded, esteemed cotemporary, who was on hand in hopes to see us downed, was drowned in a Niagara of applause. He alluded to The Kicker as the sunbeam of the mighty west, and to our mayoralty as the reign of peace and good will, and the heavens were rent with thunderous shouts of admiration. Our esteemed contemporary collapsed about that time, but as after events proved he was not yet entirely discouraged.

When we were led forward we began speaking as if we had summered and wintered with Henry Clay for the last dozen years. [Cries of "Put him out!"] While we knew it was to be the effort of our life, we were as cool and collected as on the day we split Jim Thompson's ears with right and left handed shots. [Hoots and yells and hisses, mostly started by our esteemed.] As was afterward remarked, we knew exactly what that audience wanted. We skipped the garden of Eden—dodged the whale which swallowed Jonah—twisted around the fall of Rome, and only just touched the pyramids of Egypt as we galloped past. [Yells of "Shoot him off the platform!" but no shooting.] After we got down to the Revolutionary war we realized that we had our audience with us. [Yells of "Go hang yourself!" When we got down to where the bell of Liberty sent its notes reverberating across the American continent the applause became so deafening that we had to pause for two minutes. [Another collapse by our esteemed.] When the applause died away we formed this glorious Union of States, put George Washington at the head of the Continental army, and then proceeded to lick the British out of their boots. We probably piled it on a little thick, but everything goes out here in a political campaign. [Cheers for the speaker, which was us, mingled with the noise of a fight near the door.]

When we struck the war of 1812 the outburst of enthusiasm lifted the roof two feet high. [Yells by our esteemed of "Why don't somebody shoot him?"] when we got along down to the Mexican war nothing could longer hold our audience. From our position on the platform we saw seven fights in progress at once, and were pleased to observe our esteemed contemporary crawling under a bench for safety. We had intended to bring matters down to the present date, but the enthusiasm of the audience prevented. When a majority of any crowd out this way makes up its mind that a speaker is sound on the goose question he needn't break any more suspenders in furnishing additional proofs. While we were waiting to go on three bullets passed through our hat and two dead jackass rabbits fell at our feet. In return for the compliment our crowd cleaned the opposition off the grounds and rounded up six fiddlers, a couple of eyes, somebody's chin, four ears, thirteen pistols and a basket of knives. The meeting closed with a volcano of enthusiasm, during which we were carried around in triumph on the shoulders of Arizona patriots.

The canvass may be said to have fully opened. We realize that we are to be opposed by a vindictive and malicious minority, whose motto is, "Rule or ruin," but we firmly believe that we shall come out on top of the heap. We shall speak at Lone Tree on Monday evening, and we hope to be greeted by an audience just as full of ardor and enthusiasm. We shall ship 2,000 extra cartridges by stage tomorrow, and about seventy patriots will go over with us and help make the meeting a glorious success.

BROTHER GARDNER ON DOCTRINES.

"When a pusson am tooken into dis club as a member," said Brother Gardner, as the regular order of business was concluded, "we doan' ax what his religun is. We doan' even find out if he's got any 'tall, though we hope he's at least a believer. It has somehow happened dat we has got in a sprinklin of Methodists, a sprinklin of Baptists, a sprinklin of Presbyterians an a few Univarsalists an United Brethren. While our bylaws expressly forbid any religus discushun among members, it has cum to my knowledge dat dar am a good deal of it gwine on. 'Deed, but it was only two days ago dat Waydown Bebee, who am a reg'lar built Methodist, got into a row wid Elder Toots, who am a two story Baptist, an dey spilt each odder's blood widout settlin de pint as to which was de best religun. I shall impose a fine of $35,500 on each one, an dey will boaf stand suspended from dis club till de same am paid up. It's no use of hevin bylaws onless we lib up to em.

"An now 'bout religun. I've tried moas' all kinds in my day, an I find 'em all 'bout alike. I went from de Baptist ober to de Methodist bekase a brudder sold me a blind mewl. I left de Methodist bekase a brudder borrowed my coffee mill an wouldn't return it. De Presbyterian doctrine suited me all right, but a brudder sold me a watch widout any wheels in it. I jest got comfortably settled among de Univarsalists when I backed a note fur a brudder an had it to pay. I was gittin along fine wid de United Brethren when I missed so much of my woodpile dat I loaded a stick an blowed up de family ob de man who had de pew right in front ob me. Den I sorter ambled back down de scale till I struck de Methodists agin, an I'ze stickin right dar. I hev diskibered dat it hain't in de religun 'tall. It'r all in de man. If de Lawd made a man pizen mean to begin wid yo' may chuck him full o' seben different kinds o' religun widout makin a decent pusson o' him.

"I h'ar talk 'bout dis doctrine an dat doctrine, but I doan' go a red cent on doctrines. Dar' am no short cuts to heaben. If yo' wish to git dar' yo' has got to go around all de elbows an climb all de hills. I'ze knowed men who war' great sticklers fur doctrine to steal sheep. I'ze knowed men who carried pounds of doctrine around in deir coat tail pockets to leave town between two days, so as not to say goodby to de sheriff. Heah am a case in pint. Waydown Bebee an Elder Toots each claimed de only doctrine by which anybody could squeeze into heaven widout rubbin de hide off. Dey was so bigoted dat day had a fout about it. One of dese doctrine men has owed me three dollars borrowed money fur a y'ar, an de odder broke my wheelbarrer an lied about it.

"I'ze got a doctrine o' my own dat I'm libin by. I pay my debts, keep sober, use my fam'ly right, help de distressed, try to speak well of eberybody, an either speak de troof or keep my head shet. I'm seen at church on Sunday, turn up purty reg'lar at Thursday evenin prayer meetins, and if anybody sticks me wid a lead nickel I melt it up to mend de holes in de washdish. If de ole woman feels like gwine to de circus I take her, an arter we has seen de Bengal tiger we passes in to witness de performance. I has bin seen at cakewalks an hoss races, an arter de co'n has been husked at a huskin bee I has bin obsarved to take de ole woman on my arm an lead de fust cotillon. Mebbe my religun hain't a good one an won't pass me frew de gates, but it's de best I'ze bin able to scratch up arter thirty y'ars o' lookin around, an I'ze gwine to keep peggin away wid it.

"IT'S ALL IN DE MAN."

"I say to yo' all dat yo' may hev doctrines by de dozen, creeds by de score, an worship arter any fashion dat pleases yo' best, but doan' bring de argyments in heah. Doan' argy anywhar! If you's got de best doctrine doan' giv it away. If you's got de bulge on de angel bizness keep shet. Keep all de advantage yo' kin git ober de odder feller. I doan't ax nobody to accept my sort o' religun. While dar's no patent on it, and while I'm willin to sheer it, I'ze jest as liberal 'bout all odder kinds. We will now wrap up our varus sorts an kinds of doctrines an creeds an put 'em under our arms an go home."

HAVING FUN WITH BILL.

"Gentlemen," said the old farmer as he came up the steps of the varanda, "I'm a Christian man and a prayin man, and may the Lord forgive me for what I'm about to do!"

"What are you about to do?" asked one of the crowd.

"I'm about to ask if there is anybody among you who kin put on the boxin gloves and knock my son Bill into the middle of next week! Bill is twenty years old, and he's got a fit on to be a prize fighter. I've talked and talked, but it don't do no good. He's as sot as a mule, and nuthin will change him till somebody comes along and knocks his chin off."

"Where is your son?" asked the man who had spoken before.

"Over here in a place they call the rink. He's even blowin around that he's goin to open a boxin skule. Consarn him, but he thinks I don't know putty!"

"And you want someone to put on the gloves and crack his jaw?"

"I dew, and I'll give the cracker five dollars fur his work. Do you scrap, as they call it?"

"Just a little—just enough to make your son Bill see about a million stars while he is falling. I'm feeling pretty well this morning, and will go over and tackle William on the chin."

"Good! The five is yours if you do it. Hain't you a drummer?"

"Yes, I travel for a Buffalo house, but that's no reason why I can't have some fun with your son Bill.

"Not a bit of it. Don't break his neck or anything, but put him to sleep, as they call it. You know how to do it."

The drummer looked like an athlete, and from the confident smile on his face we had no doubt of his prowess as a boxer. The whole crowd went over to the rink, and Bill was found mending a rip in an old glove. He was long and lanky. He had white eyebrows and a vacant expression in his turnip colored eyes. A number of the villagers dropped in, and pretty soon the drummer picked up a glove and said:

"Wonder if there is anyone around here who can box?"

"I believe my son Bill over thar does a leetle boxin," replied the old man as he happened in just then.

"Does he? Here—you—want to put on the gloves?"

"I don't keer," replied Bill, and he slowly got up and thrust his big sunburned paws into a pair of gloves.

"Play him a couple of minits and then crack him," whispered the father.

As the two squared off Bill appeared as awkward as a haycock on stilts, but for all that the drummer failed to get in

"SOME OF YOU BOYS HELP ME OVER TO THE HOTEL."

on him. After about a minute and while we were wondering why Bill didn't drop, the Buffalo man fell in a heap and lay lide a log. It took us ten minutes to bring him to. It too him another ten to locate his surroundings and say:

"Some of you boys help me ever to the hotel and then get a doctor to my jaw."

"I thought you was goin to make Bill see stars," said the old man as he came up.

"You go away, you old villain!"

"Gentlemen, listen to him! As I'm a Christian man and a prayin man, I had the oxen and cart all ready behind the rink to load Bill in and take him home to die. I didn't 'spose Bill could knock a grasshopper off a post. Won't some of the rest of you gentlemen put up your dukes, as they call it, and slam him to hash? It's five dollars fur the slammer."

But William waited in vain. No slammer appeared, and an hour later the old man passed the hotel on his way home and yelled at his oxen:

"Haw, thar, Nero—gee up, Buck! Whoa, now! Gentlemen, I'm mighty sorry, but I was deceived in Bill myself. Stand still, Buck! If any of the rest of you should feel like"——

But we rose up and threw chairs at him, and drove him away.

NO HAIR NEEDED.

"Now, gentlemen," began the fakir, as he arranged half a hundred bottles on a temporary table at the street corner, "I am here to sell the original and only Patagonian Hair Renewer. It has been in use for thirty-two years, and has been tried by millions of people, and yet I have never heard of an instance where it failed to act as warranted. If it fails to produce a growth of new hair on the head within six weeks I agree to forfeit $500. I have deposited the money in the Second National bank and shall be here about three months. Who buys the first bottle for a dollar?

"Look a-here, mister!" said an old man as he pressed forward, "wasn't you down to Skinnersville last spring?"

"Skinnersville? I believe I was."

"Wasn't you sellin this same stuff down there?"

"Stuff? I was selling my Patagonian Hair Renewer, sir!"

"Waal, I want you to look at my head," continued the old chap as he uncovered a poll as small and shiny as a new dinner plate. "I bought a bottle of that stuff."

"Stuff! Do you mean my Hair Renewer?"

"Exactly. You warranted it to force a growth of new ha'r inside of six weeks. I used it. Whar's the growth? Whar's the new ha'r?"

"My friend," said the fakir as he grew very solemn, "do you recall the words blown into the glass?"

"No, I don't remember."

"Then let me jog your recollection. It says on every bottle, 'Not warranted in the case of an old baldheaded coon looking for a third wife.' Now, then, you were looking weren't you?"

"Yaas, I was lookin, and I got her, too, and you can go to pot with your old whitewash!"

"My friend, I"——

"And I got a hundred acre farm with her, and she's expectin a thousand dollars back pension, and if I was sixty-five years younger I'd lick yer outer yer butes fur a deceiver!"

"My friend, I"——

"Growth of new ha'r be durned!" shouted the old man as he backed off. "Didn't need now ha'r, nor any ha'r at all. She'd bin lovin me fur twenty years, and jumped at the chance to hev me! Go to ballyhack with yer old Pattygonian diswater and don't never speak to me again!"

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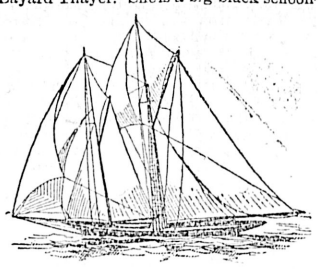
THE CONSTELLATION.

A Swift Schooner Yacht That Has Won Many Races.

A yacht that has won an enviable reputation for swiftness this year is the Constellation, owned by the famous yachtsman Bayard Thayer. She is a big black schoon-



SCHOONER YACHT CONSTELLATION.

er, and her most notable performance this year was when she won the $1,000 Morgan cup for schoopers in the recent run of the New York Yacht club to Marblehead, Mass. The gallant Constellation led the entire fleet. She was designed by the late Edward Burgess, and is without doubt one of the swiftest schooners of the first class afloat.

One of the most interesting incidents of the great race was the fact that the second yacht to finish was the old America, world famous as the first winner of the international trophy, the America cup, which she captured from the English in a race with the Aurora, Aug. 22, 1851. The America, which is forty years old, was not a contestant, but she started with the other yachts and proved that her old time speed was still to be wooed into being by a good breeze. She now belongs to General Benjamin F. Butler, who was on board when the famous old craft showed her heels to all the crack yachts but the Constellation.

The First Trotting Queen.

Flora Temple, the first trotting queen, made as much of a sensation thirty-three years ago when she trotted in 2:19¾ as Nancy Hanks did a short time ago when she cut the record first to 2:07¼ and then to 2:05¼. Flora Temple was foaled in 1845, and was 11 years old before she began to do fast trotting. Her sire was Bogus Hunter and her dam Madam Temple, both horses of what would now be called quite ordinary breeding.

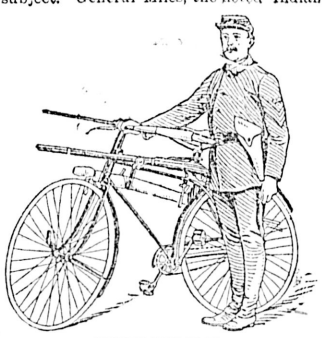
After several fast miles in 2:24½, 2:23½ and 2:22 Flora was driven in 2:19¾ by Trainer James McCann at Cincinnati Oct. 15, 1859. As Flora was the first trotter to

FLORA TEMPLE.

negotiate a mile under 2:20 she was considered by horsemen to be the first monarch of the trotting turf. For about eight years 2:19¾ remained the record, and then Budd Doble drove Dexter in 2:19. Although there is nearly fifteen seconds difference between Flora Temple and Nancy Hanks, the trotter of today is not that much faster than the trotter of thirty-three years ago. There has probably been an improvement of at least twelve seconds, however, and the pneumatic tired sulky and the kite shaped track may be responsible for the remaining 2¼ seconds.

Military Bicycling in Connecticut.

Interest in the bicycle as a means of rapid transportation in time of war is growing every day. Numerous experiments have been made abroad, and America has shown a desire to investigate the subject. General Miles, the noted Indian



READY FOR WAR.

fighter, firmly believes that the use of the wheel in war time is feasible. Connecticut national guardsmen have done a great deal to prove the value of the wheel for scouting, carrying despatches and doing signal service work.

Connecticut militiamen firmly believe that the wheel is not only valuable for certain military service, but they are also confident that in the next war the bicycle will be used to advantage.

The picture that accompanies this article represents a member of the Connecticut signal corps ready for work.

Campbell's Loving Cup.

The picture that accompanies this article is a very good likeness of the beautiful and costly silver loving cup that became the property of Oliver S. Campbell when he recently won the singles tennis championship of the United States for the third

THE CHAMPIONSHIP CUP.

successive time. The trophy is no longer to be contested for, because Campbell's victories have made him its permanent owner. Campbell has won many valuable trophies during his remarkable career as a tennis player, but he undoubtedly values most the handsome singles championship cup, that represents three hard fought and successful battles against the best men in this country for the American championship.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

ENTERED.

Str. City of Kingston.....from Port Townsend.
" Yosemite..... " Vancouver.
" Joan..... " Nanaimo.
" R. P. Rithet ..... " Westminster.
" Princess Louise..... " " "
" Coquitlam ..... " Sitka.
" Victoria..... " Departure Bay.
Schr. Oscar & Hattie..... " North Pacific.

CLEARED.

Str. Yosemite..... for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston.... " Port Townsend.
" R. P. Rithet..... " Westminster.
" Princess Louise..... " Westminster.
" Victoria ..... " Yokohama.

The new Nanaimo pilot boat was successfully launched at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the presence of quite a number of ladies and other interested spectators. As the vessel started down the ways Captain James Christensen was at the bow, and performed the usual ceremonies, breaking a bottle of wine and christening her the "D. W. Gordon," after the Nanaimo member of the House of Commons. The boat is a very neat and snug looking little craft, having been designed and built by the McFee Bros., for the Nanaimo pilots. She is 48 feet over all and has a beam 13 feet wide, with a hold six feet six inches in depth. Her construction is such as to admit of machinery being easily placed in her hull, the frame of which is one that will last for years, as it is made of choice lumber, As well as being built for seaworthiness, the little boat is also modelled for speed, and when the finishing touches are put on she will be a very serviceable vessel.

An investigation has been going on in the Custom House for some days past as to the movements of the schooner Halcyon. The evidence is voluminous, but as some technical points have arisen which have been reserved for legal advice, full details cannot be given for the present. The Halcyon is charged with visiting places other than ports of entry, and with hovering about British territory, not having papers to justify her presence in such waters.

Yesterday afternoon the sealing schooner Oscar and Hattie arrived in port. She was one of the vessels seized by the U. S. S. Mohican in Behring Sea early in the season off Attou Island, for an alleged breach of the *modus vivendi*. She was brought to Ounalaska in charge of a prize crew, and was afterwards towed out to sea by the Melpomene, with which vessel she parted in a gale. For the season the total catch of the Oscar and Hattie has been but 500 skins. She came to port somewhat under a cloud, although not in charge of a prize crew. Capt. Tuttle reports an uneventful trip.

H.M.S. Hyacinthe is to dock at Tacoma to get a cleaning up, the drydock at Esquimalt being at present occupied by the Warspite. It is a case of necessity with the Hyacinthe, as she cannot await the discharge of the present occupant of the home dock.

Judge Vowell, R. A. Spencer and S. Munson were among those who took passage for the North on the steamer Danube last evening. The steamship's cargo consisted of general merchandise.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz, which sailed for the North last evening, carried the following passengers: Mrs. Todd, Miss Downy, Miss Shelvey, Mrs. Hall, Rev. G. Hopkins, G. Robinson, J. Deer and W. Subbs. There were also, besides, a considerable quantity of freight and about thirty Indian steerage passengers who, upon not finding work in the hop fields on the American side, are returning to their native land.

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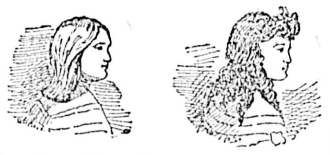

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ROBT. A. RENWICK, Manager.
Victoria, B.C., Sept. 22, 1892. se23

The Victoria and Sidney Railway Company.

Pursuant to sec. 7. of the Act Incorporating the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, the annual general meeting of the shareholders of the said company will be held at the company's office, 28½ Broad street, Victoria, on Wednesday the 12th day of October, at 2 p. m.
ROBERT IRVING, Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., 27th Sept., 1892. oct1

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In obedience to various Writs of Execution issued out of the County Court and out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, and to me directed, in the suit of A. J. Rowbotham v. William Walker, C. Strouss & Co. v. William Walker, Weiler Brothers v. William Walker, and of Simon Leiser v. William Walker, I have seized and will sell at Public Auction, on the premises of the defendant known as the Janion Hotel, Store Street, on Wednesday, the 5th day of October, 1892, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, Dining Room Tables, Chairs, Bed Room suites, Carpets, Barroom Furniture, Stoves, and other Furniture suitable for a first-class Hotel.
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C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, 20th July, 1892. jy22

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Part of Lots 21 and 22 of Suburban Lot XVIII, in the City of Victoria.

Whereas the Certificate of Title of Martin Johnason to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 24th day of September, 1887, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.
C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria, Sept. 10, 1892. se10

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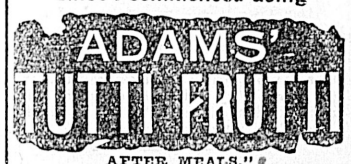

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The Colonist.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1892.

PASSENGERS.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—R Johnson and wife, Mrs Corbin, F W Hart and wife, C J Buck. F Kennedy, Mrs Edwards and child, Miss Anderson, — McDonald, W Thoms, Jacob Morgan, W Barnes, W Burkquist, F P Reed, wife and child, Mrs Scully, C Cruickshank and wife, John Lynch, Jack Cooper, G R McBride, W E Miller, R Morrison, T Delaney, C McLean, P Turner, P Flanigan, Mrs T R Sheign, M R Muckler, John Elvin, wife and daughter, Miss Shepard, C Anderson, S Kisch, Mrs McLaughlin, John Bishop, H Strove, W Cates, A E Moser, W H Hoffman, N Neil, R Middleton, T H Everett, C H Chachtra, W Westlake, John Irving and wife, T Teeson and wife.

Per steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver—John McKenzie, H Harris, J Martin, Mrs Jackson, S O Richards, R Collister, Justice Crease, A R Carrington, R Harvey, J J Bell, J W Martin, Miss Blake, J M Dorm, Mrs F A Fairchild, Mrs Porter, J T P Beyoff, J A Jackson, James McIsaacs, H Firth, Capt. Babbington, Mrs Crease, Fred Dyer, Rev R J Irwin, L Johnson, Dr L Hall and wife, Mrs Jenkins, Miss Jarvis, Robert Henderson, F L Carter, J Pearson, C J Moire, J W Lynch, J M Spinks, B Evans, Capt Tierney, S A, Mrs Sinclair, A Field, F Wright, M Doran, R A Shore, G M Henderson.

CONSIGNEES.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON from the Sound—Turner, B & Co, Matthews, R & T, H Young & Co, J Partridge, W & J Wilson, Mrs Tyler, T W Fletcher, E G Prior & Co, Sehl, H, E F Co, J Sommers, D H Ross & Co, Cowan & W, A Y Abbott, John Earsman, M Gullmann, Union Ice Co.

Per steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver—Sidney Shore, David Lindsay, Ledingham Bros, Nicholles & Renouf, L Truesdale, J & A Clearihue, Lenz & Leiser, Turner, Beeton & Co J H Todd & Son, R P Rithet, Col Ind Rev, per Merchants Bank, W H Griffin, A N Richards, Major Dupont, F R Stewart, W Jensen, Bank of B C, Dom Cartage Co, Geo Powell, R Bergoff, Dom Exp Co.

BIRTH.

SPRING—In this city on Sept. 29, the wife of Capt. C. Spring, of a daughter.

PETTICRAW—In this city on Sept. 29th, the wife of J. Petticraw, of a daughter.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Lawn mowers and rubber hose at Cheapside.

Guaranteed razors, at Fox's 78 Government street.

Carpenter and Gardening Tools, at CHEAPSIDE.

John Bull Ranges, at CHEAPSIDE.

Fancy Tea Pots, Decorated China, Glassware, etc., at R. A. Brown & Co's 80 Douglas street.

Curling Irons and heaters at Fox's.

Labor and money saved by using Pendray's Electric Soap.

Pocket knives, table cutlery, &c., at Fox's, 78 Government street.

A few elegant French China Dinner Services at Weiler Bros.

Children's Tea Sets, Hanging Lamps, Table Lamps cheap at R. A. Brown & Co's 80 Douglas street.

A MONTREALER'S ANSWER TO HIS FRIEND.

"Yes, my dear fellow; you will truly find that Paine's Celery Compound is what you require if you would banish that dyspepsia, and the headache which troubles you so often.

"I have used it for the same troubles, and must say that its results were great and effective. I used it fourteen months ago, when I had a very bad attack of dyspepsia. I was also troubled with insomnia at the same time; the three bottles that I used made me a new man, and I have not had a touch of the trouble since."

This is the experience of thousands who have used Paine's Celery Compound for dyspepsia, indigestion and insomnia; and the remarks of a Montreal gentleman given above, are ably supported by scores of testimonials sent in every month to the proprietors of Paine's Celery Compound.

Better Than Gold.

GENTLEMEN,—I have used Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for bowel complaint and can say there is no other remedy as good.
MRS. JAMES DENNISON, Lake Dora, Ont.

PERSONAL.

H. Byers, Pilot Bay, is at the Driard.

B. Cochrane, Vernon, is at the Oriental.

John Hilbert and family, Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

Russell Reid and family are staying at the Oriental.

Capt. Babbington was a passenger from Vancouver last evening.

J. M. Spinks came down on the Yosemite from Vancouver last night.

J. J. Bell came down from Vancouver on the Yosemite last evening.

Capt. John and Mrs. Irving returned from Kootenay last evening.

James McIsaacs, of the Herald, Charlottetown, is registered at the Balmoral.

Mr. Justice Crease and Miss Crease returned last evening from the Mainland.

Rev. R. J. Irwin was one of the passengers by the Yosemite last night.

Capt. Tierney, of the Salvation Army, came down from the Terminal City yesterday.

W. E. Miller, Tacoma; R. Morton Middleton, London, Eng., and Col. Muckle, Philadelphia, were registered at the Hotel Victoria last evening.

Dr. Mary McNeill, of the Chicago Medical College, and formerly resident physician at the Women's Hospital, is in Victoria, and will practise with Dr. Ernest Hall.

Wm. Stevens, Nanaimo; L. D. Edwards, Hamilton; Geo. K. Kingston, Montreal, S. P. Johnstone and Mrs. Johnstone, Buffalo, N.Y., were amongst the guests at the Victoria last evening.

A. W. Vowell, Superintendent of Indian Affairs, left by the S.S. Danube last evening for Alert Bay, where, in addition to other matters, he will inspect the new industrial school building just erected at that place. Mr. Vowell will be absent about a fortnight.

Pipe Smokers.

You may be satisfied with the brands of tobaccos you have been using for years. Grant it; that you are satisfied. As there is always room for improvement, we ask you to try our OLD CHUM PLUG, or Cut smoking tobacco, and we believe you will be BETTER satisfied. In any case, a trial won't hurt you. Don't delay upon the order of buying, but buy at once. au1

"Our townspeople who intend visiting the Tacoma Exposition are cordially invited by the Helvetia Milk Condensing Co. to make themselves perfectly at home, around their Exhibit, which will be very attractive this year. They will have a score of young ladies serving coffee, with the Highland Brand Evaporated Cream."

The B.N.A. Act.

THE great British North America act nowadays is to buy a bottle of B.B.B., and cure yourself of dyspepsia, constipation, headache, liver complaint or bad blood, and it is an act that always attains the desired result.

Gas Fixtures at McLennan & McFeely's.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Damage by Floods in the Squamish Valley—Coal Output From Nanaimo Mines.

The Secretary of the Defunct Ainslie Lumber Company Arrested at Vancouver.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Oct 1.—H. B. Wall, Secretary-Treasurer of the defunct Ainslie Lumber Company, of Portland, Oregon, was arrested here this morning, but released in an hour on his promise of going to Portland, for which he had tickets. The Ainslie Company failed July 7 last for half a million dollars, with assets nominally the same. When they started, a year ago, they made quite a spread; but were unable to carry it through, hence the collapse. They had obtained large advances from Tacoma, Portland and San Francisco banks, but upon investigation, it was thought they had deliberately intended to defraud. Fifteen indictments of the Grand Jury are out against each of the three partners, and two others have already been arrested. Wall says he left Philadelphia for Portland as soon as he learned he was wanted.

Dr. Praeger, of Nanaimo, has notified Dr. McGuigan, chairman of the Board of Health, that unless the examination of boats from Victoria, for smallpox, is continued as before, Vancouver will be quarantined by Nanaimo. The inspection has not yet been ordered, however. The necessary furniture was sent to the new pest house yesterday.

The Empress of India dropped overboard ocean current report bottles, that observations may be taken of the rate and direction of the North Pacific currents.

Complaints are numerous among the 'longshoremen that the captains of sailing ships are farming out the work of their crews to stevedores, in discharging cargo.

The entertainment to realize $200 for the Orphanage, with other collections, makes the sum on hand upwards of $300.

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 1.—A late arrival from the Squamish valley says that considerable damage has been done to the settlers' property by the Squamish River overflowing its banks since the heavy rains set in. One settler had all the lumber for a new house on the bank and it was swept away.

A meeting of ratepayers of the new municipality of Barnaby was held to-day, when the following were chosen for the first municipal board: Reeve, N. C. Schon; Councillors, Messrs. C. R. Shaw, Wm. McDermott, John Woodland, Wm. Brenchley and Claude Hill. The nominations take place next Saturday, and the elections will all be unanimous.

A quiet wedding took place at the Presbyterian Manse at 5 o'clock. J. W. McColl, barrister and solicitor, was united in marriage to Miss Grace Amelia Parker. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Thos. Scouler. None of the numerous friends of the happy pair were in the secret, and many were the congratulations extended to the bridegroom when he appeared on the street, this morning, trying to look as if nothing had happened.

The Choral Union have organized for the season and are rehearing "The Revenge," with which also will be given "The Messiah."

A handsome little steamer is being built at Wilson's shipyard for C. F. Pretty & Co., to be used in connection with their fishing business.

Two creameries will be started in the district next spring, one at the Delta by W. H. Ladner, and the other at Port Hammond by W. H. Harris.

The MacLaren-Ross Co., it is said, are going to load several cargoes of lumber soon.

A fire occurred in the store of W. Pressley, Chilliwack, this morning at 1 o'clock. Before the young man sleeping in the store was awakened by the dense smoke the flames had reached the ceiling, and were with some difficulty extinguished by the villagers. The damage to the stock and building will be considerable.

John Knox got six months this morning for stealing chickens.

The result of the interview between the corporation representatives and Inspector of Penitentiaries Moylan about the Dominion Government sharing the cost of the retaining wall on East Columbia street was satisfactory, though the Inspector could promise nothing.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, Oct. 1.—The foreign shipment of coal for the month of September, by the N. V. C. Co., amounted to 30,147 tons; Wellington, 13,063; East Wellington, 2,111. The largest cargo on a vessel was 4,218 tons, on the steamer Romulus, for the V. C. Co.

McKenzie & Exley will open a grocery, flour, feed and provision store, on Commercial street, next week. Both men are well-known here.

A meeting of A. Shaw's creditors was held here this evening.

Seven more suspects have been added to the number already in quarantine. The total is now 21. Gibbons is progressing favorably.

The remains of John Cavallero, who was murdered, were buried yesterday.

During September there were 20 births, 9 deaths and 7 marriages registered at the Registrar's office.

The ladies' aid of the Wallace Methodist church will hold a bazaar on Monday, October 10, in the schoolroom, for the sale of work. During the afternoon the admission will be free, but those who take in the entertainment in the evening will have to pay 25 cents, which will be devoted to special purposes.

Arrived—Ship Wachusem.

The tramp who is suffering from a severe attack of smallpox gives the name of Gilbert McGibbon. He stayed at the Cosmopolitan hotel. Fortunately he was arrested before he could come in contact with any citizens. The people he had been staying with in Cedar District were brought to the pest house and placed in quarantine. The scene at the pest house is quite a camp.

The funeral of the late Peter Sabiston took place from his residence on Wallace street this afternoon. The remains were followed by a large host of friends who had known him during his life time. He was buried under the auspices of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, of which he was a prominent member for many years. Canon Good officiated at the burial.

VERNON.

(From the News.)

Enderby horsemen will hold a race meeting on Tuesday, October 18.

The Bloomington hunting club party have presented Mr. Price Ellison with a handsome gun and 500 rounds of ammunition.

The friends and employes of B. & L. Lequime, at the Mission, extended a welcome home to Mr. Barnard Lequime and his bride, who arrived on Monday from San Francisco.

A car-load of machinery from the American side came through in bond by Monday's train, on the S. & O., from an American firm, for use on the Col. Hammond mine.

Bank checks are common currency, and everyone is praying for the starting of a bank.

A party from the coast came in last week and slaughtered 160 chickens near the head of the lake, lugging them off.

Last week a bush fire started on the mountain threatened to do a great amount of mischief. It was noticed in time to prevent it from destroying a large quantity of hay on Price Ellison's ranch. By hard work and ploughing around the property it was stopped before much harm was done. The rain also had a good effect.

Three charges laid against Leon Lequime, of the Mission, by Mr. Thompson, Steamboat Inspector, came up before Magistrate Lumby. One was of carrying passengers on the steamer Okanagan, in March last, without a certificate, the other two being that the name of the steamer was changed illegally, and that no inspection had been made. A fine of $50 was imposed on the first charge and the other two were withdrawn. The hull has been at the bottom of the lake for some time, and the machinery was burned up in Lequime's sawmill.

Spallumcheen Council at its meeting on the 24th, appointed H. Seydel clerk, instructing him also to act as assessor and collector. The following valuations for the purposes of assessment were adopted: Cultivated land, including hay production bottom-land, to be assessed at $35 per acre, cultivated light bench-land at $30 per acre, bottom-land under brush at $17 per acre, timber and range land at from $2 50 to $10 per acre, wild land to be taxed at the rate of two and one-half per cent. upon the assessed value.

NEWS OF THE WHALERS.

Latest Advices From the North—Incidents on Board Ship—The Catch.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 1.—The whaling steamer Mary D. Hume, which has been absent in the Arctic Ocean for two years and a half, during which time she made the remarkable catch of 38 whales, returned here to-day. Three of her crew perished in the Arctic, two being drowned and Steward Myers dying from inflammatory rheumatism. The Hume left here April 18, 1890, and from July of that year until August, 1892, those on board did not receive a word of news from home. Once Mate Megg went 300 miles southward in the direction of the Porcupine River, in British North America. The people there told him Queen Victoria was still alive, and that was the latest they had heard. Both winters the steamer quartered at Herschel Island, and in the spring went to Cape Bathurst and the Mackenzie River. The health of those on board was good during the first year, but the second winter proved less fortunate, as scurvy broke out on board. There were seven men down in the forecastle at one time. A young lad named Raymond Lapierre was taken to the Marine Hospital, in this city, almost a total wreck, his legs and arms being distorted and full of sores, the effects of scurvey. A boatsteerer named Halstrom had his left foot frozen, and it was necessary to amputate the member. A report of the catch of the Arctic fleet, eagerly waited for by whaling men, was brought down by the Hume, and is as follows: Ballenal 1, Beluga 1, Bounding Billow 4, Hunter 1, Helen Mar 1, Karluk 3, Belvedere 2, Horatio 1, Orca 2, Rosario 2, Andrew Hicks 2, Alice Knowles 1, Josephine 4, Newport 3. The following had no catch: Alton, Hidalgo, Grampus, Bonanza, Narwhal, Percy Edward, Stamboul, Seabreeze, Tamerlane, Thrasher and Wanderer.

THE UGANDA QUESTION.

Press and Other Opinions on This Important International Affair.

LONDON, Sept. 30.—The question whether Uganda shall be evacuated is prominently to the front. The Conservatives had protested that they would make a test of the foreign policy of the new Government. Jephson, in a long letter to the Times, seeks to prove that the evacuation of Uganda is impossible if Great Britain is to fulfil her obligations to which the country is pledged, both by honor and humanity. He says evacuation would be followed by wholesale massacres, in slavery of the defenceless, and by appalling misery among the millions now protected, by the presence of the British East Africa company's forces. The Times approves the letter.

The St. James Gazette says that it has always held that the attitude of Great Britain toward the East Africa company was one of Lord Salisbury's mistakes. Nevertheless the occupation of Uganda, being an accomplished fact, a sense of humanity compels the British to protect the unhappy and threatened natives.

The Globe, also a Conservative newspaper, takes a different view, and says that it would be no harm to leave the occupation Uganda to private enterprises, as it would be hopeless to attempt to bolster up a colony so situated with the aid of the state.

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NOTES ON THE FAIR.

The following announcements from some of the principal exhibitors at the fair will be read with interest. They are points of value to those who use or handle the various lines of goods:

The Brackman & Ker Milling Co.

Probably one of the most valuable exhibits at The Fair was that shown by The Brackman & Ker Milling Co. Their showing of the possibilities of British Columbia in the grain producing line, and the high quality of these products when handled by expert manufacturers, will be of lasting value. It is by such industries as these that the future of the province will be put on a solid basis. This well known firm put out a great variety of prepared grain products, such as oat meals, The National Rolled Oats, which have become the favorite wherever used, Graham flours, pearl barley, corn meals, and split peas. All these products are of a quality unexcelled, a fact which the public bear witness to by continued and increasing demands for these goods and no others. By a careful attention to crops and markets, and by buying their grains at first hands and refusing to handle anything not of the highest quality, the firm keep their goods up to the established high standard which will always be maintained.

High Grade Pianos.

It was noticed by many that among the exhibits of musical instruments each firm received a diploma. This did not, in the opinion of some, make a proper distinction with regard to high class goods, like those shown by Mr. T. W. Fletcher. They included some extra grade Bush & Gert's pianos, which, for tone, touch and quality, are far superior to the cheap grades shown by some competitors. This would be at once apparent to any expert who would take the trouble to examine into the merits of the various makes. Mr. Fletcher felt that this should have been brought out in some way, and merit recognized in some specific manner. Superior goods should receive superior recognition, no matter by whom they may be shown, and some arrangement to this end would make future Fairs more satisfactory to some classes of exhibitors.

Superior Candies.

The display made by Mr. H. A. Lilley, of the City Candy Factory, was not excelled by any in the building. In the large show cases were shown the many products of the candy-maker's art for which the firm is famous. Their goods are nearly all hand-made, and from the purest and most wholesome materials. They are produced by skilled labor and can be relied upon to be of uniform excellence. Among the specialties for which the factory has a special fame are chocolates, chocolate creams, hand-made creams in endless variety, unwrapped caramels, something especially good, taffies, nougats, crystallized fruits, and all the common candies. All these are of a quality and sold at a price which cannot be excelled in any locality. Those who have been struggling with inferior and adulterated goods will find these pure and high class productions a welcome relief.

An Important Industry.

One thing noticed all through the fair was that everyone stopped before the exhibits of Mr. W. J. Pendray, and after viewing them over and over turned away with the remark, "Well, I did not know that British Columbia could turn out such an array as that in any line." When one takes in the great variety of plain and fancy soaps, vinegars, blacking, stove polishes, bluing, washing powders and sal soda, all of a quality not to be excelled in any country, one no longer wonders at the unanimous verdict of all. It is safe to say that these excellent articles will have a wider sale than ever as their merits are becoming household words. They received a gold medal for the best display of soaps, and the silver medal as the successful exhibitors of high class vinegars.

Victoria Brewing and Ice Co.

The exhibits of beer at the fair attracted much attention by the large and artistic displays made. The Victoria Brewing and Ice Co. had on hand an immense display of their wares, all arranged in a most attractive manner. The high reputation of this company's brews has been built up through long years of careful application to business and constant experiments with the newest and most expensive machinery. This has brought their goods to such a high state of perfection that they can afford to invite competition from any source. In their contests they rely simply on the merits of their products, and always cheerfully abide by the decisions of the judges without attempting to claim any honor not justly due to them. This the quality of their beer enables them to do with confidence.

The Victoria Vinegar Works.

The Victoria Vinegar Works were among the heavy exhibitors of the Fair. Their large and varied stock was artistically arranged and attracted much attention. It consisted of vinegars, pickles, cider, catsups, flavoring extracts, Worcester sauce and similar articles. The exhibit was conclusive proof that dealers need not go further than Victoria to secure stocks of these goods which in quality and price cannot be excelled in the country east or south. This firm received the highest award for its white wine and malt vinegars and for apple cider. In addition to these were diplomas too numerous to mention. Mr. Falconer can execute orders of any size to satisfaction.

Fine Biscuits and Bread.

The firm of M. R. Smith & Co. had a splendid display of fancy biscuits, cakes and bread at the Fair. They were tastefully arranged in glass fronted boxes and made an attractive showing. This firm has come to the front by the genuine merit possessed by their goods. This has become so well known that their products are in general demand by the public and are handled by reputable dealers everywhere. They are extensive wholesale and retail dealers and stand ready at all times to fill orders large or small with promptness and satisfaction. A trial of their goods will convince the most skeptical of their merits.

An Unequalled Record.

One of the most interesting exhibits shown at the fair, and one that possesses a lasting value to ever farmer is the Royal Incubator shown by J. S. Smith, of Chilliwack. The wonderful record of this machine has never been equalled—114 chicks from 120 eggs at Westminster, and 103 from 105 at Victoria, all healthy, speaks for itself. The incubator is easily managed, a sure hatcher, and will last a lifetime. If you want something good in this line address the patentee and maker, J. S. Smith, Chilliwack, B. C.

Like Drifted Snow.

"Oh, how nice!" exclaimed every lady, as she passed in front of the Victoria Steam Laundry exhibit of the work of their institution. The snowy linen, glossy shirt fronts, collars and cuffs, and various articles of apparel displayed, were a sermon on cleanliness. This firm handle anything from dainty laces to heavy blankets in the most skilful manner and at most reasonable prices. They employ only white labor, and are deserving of patronage from the excellence of their work and their close attention to all orders.

The Solid Iron Under-Gear

To be seen on the first floor of the Exhibition is the first all iron "gear" manufactured in British Columbia. The special advantages claimed for it is that it is much lighter and stronger than the ordinary wood and iron combined, there being no wood to rot or break. The complete "gear" is made of iron and brass, the bearings beneath the top circle being composed of hard brass, thereby doing away with the necessity of any lubricant whatever, and not causing one-third of the friction as in two irons rubbing together. The "gear" in the Exhibition is suitable for a wagonette, four-wheeled dog-cart, or an extension-top phaeton; but they can be made to suit any style of carriage, either a single or pair of horses.

Closing the Exhibition.

Most of the principal stock shown at this year's exhibition was offered for sale by auction by Messrs. H. Cuthbert & Company, the well known stock auctioneers. Owing to the bad weather, just at the time of the sale, and the fact that racing was going on in the Driving Park, the attendance was limited and buyers not so numerous as they otherwise would have been. Several Jerseys were withdrawn at $200 and $250, the price of those sold ranging from $45 to $125. A number of heifers, graded stock, were sold at $45 to $55, and horses from $40 to $150.

Rich Plum Pudding.

THIS delicious confection is nicely calculated to produce dyspepsia, heartburn, biliary troubles and headache. Burdock Blood Bitters is equally well calculated to cure these troubles and has proved its power in hundreds of cases. B. B. B. regulates and purifies the entire system.

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Now is the time for those requiring the use of spectacles or eyeglasses to give us a call, as we are selling our well selected assortment away below wholesale figures. And as we are in earnest about retiring from business at an early date, we have to sacrifice our splendid stock of jewelry etc., etc. No reasonable offer refused. Such an opportunity to make bargains in our line will not happen again. Lange & Co.

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